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The Eighty-Sixth Annual Convention
of the Diocese of North Carolina
is appointed to meet in
St. Stephen's Church, Oxford,
Wednesday, June 11, A. D. 1902,
at 10 o'clock, a. m.

DIOCESE OF NORTH CAROLINA.

1901.

DIOCESAN OFFICERS.

BISHOP OF THE DIOCESE AND CHAIRMAN EX-OFFICIO OF THE CONVENTION.

The Rt. Rev. JOSEPH BLOUNT CHESHIRE, D.D., Raleigh.

PRESIDENT OF THE CONVENTION.

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The Rev. John H. M. Pollard.

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The Rev. F. J. Murdoch, D.D.
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The Rev. Walter J. Smith, B.D.

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The Bishop of the Diocese.

The Rev. F. J. Murdoch, D.D.
The Rev. M. M. Marshall, D.D.
Mr. Charles E. Johnson.
Mr. Wm. A. Erwin.
Until 1903.

The Rev. Julian E. Ingle.
Mr. R. H. Lewis, M.D.
Mr. D. Y. Cooper.
Mr. R. H. Battle, LL.D.
Until 1906.

TRUSTEES OF THE BOYS' SCHOOL AT SALISBURY.

The Bishop of the Diocese.

The Rev. I. McK. Pittenger, D.D.	Term expires 1902.
Mr. Joseph B. Batchelor, LL.D.	" " 1902.
The Rev. F. J. Murdoch, D.D.	" " 1903.
The Rev. Sidney S. Bost.	" " 1903.
Mr. Theodore Buerbaum.	" " 1903.
The Rev. E. A. Osborne.	" " 1904.
Mr. John S. Henderson.	" " 1904.
Mr. Gowan Dusenbery.	" " 1904.

MANAGERS OF THE THOMPSON ORPHANAGE AND TRAINING INSTITUTION.

The Bishop of the Diocese.

The Rev. James Carmichael, D.D.	Term expires 1902.
Mr. Walter G. McRae.	" " 1902.
The Rev. William R. Wetmore, D.D.	" " 1904.
Mr. William A. Smith.	" " 1904.
The Rev. Edwin A. Osborne.	" " 1906.
Mr. J. G. Shannonhouse.	" " 1906.

DEPUTIES TO THE GENERAL CONVENTION.

The Rev. M. M. Marshall, D.D.
The Rev. F. J. Murdoch, D.D.
The Rev. Julian E. Ingle.
The Rev. I. McK. Pittenger, D.D.

Mr. Richard H. Battle, LL.D.
Mr. John Wilkes.
Mr. Wm. L. London.
Mr. J. Cameron Buxton.

SUPPLEMENTARY DEPUTIES.

The Rev. F. W. Hilliard.
The Rev. Wm. H. Meade, D.D.
The Rev. E. A. Osborne.
The Rev. Edward W. Gamble.
Mr. J. C. MacRae, LL.D.
Mr. Paul B. Means.
Mr. S. S. Nash.
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DELEGATES TO THE MISSIONARY COUNCIL.

The Rev. A. Burtis Hunter.
The Rev. J. H. M. Pollard.
Mr. Henry Johnston.
Mr. Samuel S. Nash.
The Rev. I. McK. Pittenger, D.D.

In Memoriam.

THE REVEREND

WILLIAM SHEPARD PETTIGREW.

Born in Tyrrell County, N. C., October 6, 1818.

Ordered Deacon by the Rt. Rev. Thomas Atkinson, D.D., in St. James' Church, Wilmington, January 31, 1869.

Ordained Priest in the same place and by the same Bishop, June 12, 1870.

Officiated for a while in St. David's Church, Scuppernong, and took charge of the Church of the Holy Innocents, Henderson, January 14, 1870.

Added to this the care of St. John's Church, Williamsboro, February 12, 1870, and of the Church of the Good Shepherd, Ridgeway, March 31, 1878.

Resigned the Rectorship of the Church at Henderson October 6, 1878, and took charge in 1884 of a Mission at Middleburg, which, with his parishes at Williamsboro and Ridgeway, he served until the close of his life.

He entered into rest at the Rectory in Ridgeway July 27, 1900, and on the following day was laid to rest in the churchyard there.

"He was a good man, full of the Holy Ghost and of faith."

In Memoriam.

THE REVEREND

JOSEPH WIGGINS MURPHY.

Born in Newmarket, County Cork, Ireland, December 10, 1828.

Brought to America in early infancy and to North Carolina before he was ten years of age.

Educated by his father. He became a student of Divinity at Valle Crucis in 1845, removing to Elizabeth City in 1849.

Admitted to Deacon's orders by the Rt. Rev. Levi Silliman Ives, D.D., in St. Paul's Church, Edenton, St. Mark's Day, 1851.

Ordained Priest by the Rt. Rev. Thomas Atkinson, D.D., in St. Peter's Church, Washington, November 4, 1855.

Served successively at Elizabeth City, Morganton and Scuppernong, and was afterwards Chaplain in the Confederate Army.

Became Rector of the Church of the Holy Innocents, Henderson, in 1863, but soon after the close of the war removed to Pennsylvania and thence to Maryland, spending a short interval at Elizabeth City.

Becoming Rector of St. Matthew's Church, Hillsboro, in 1881, he resigned his charge on account of ill health in 1892.

He retired to Washington City and there fell asleep in Christ, October 17, 1900.

His mortal remains were laid to rest in St. Matthew's Churchyard, Hillsboro, N. C., October 19, 1900.

"Well done, good and faithful servant."

ALPHABETICAL LIST OF THE CLERGY.

MAY, 1901.

Those whose names are printed in *italics* were not members of the Convention. The names of those who were not present are marked thus*.

The Rt. Rev. JOSEPH BLOUNT CHESHIRE, D.D., Bishop of the Diocese; P. O., Raleigh.

ALSTON, P. P., Priest in charge of the Chapel of St. Michael and All Angels, Charlotte.

**Avirett, James B.*, residing in Cumberland, Md.

BAILEY, THOMAS B., Deacon, officiating in the Mission of the Holy Cross, Statesville.

*BATTLE, GASTON, Deacon, residing near Rocky Mount.

BELL, THOMAS, Rector of St. Barnabas' Church, Greensboro.

*BLAND, CHARLES T., Rector of St. Bartholomew's Church, Pittsboro; in charge also of St. Thomas', Sanford; P. O., Pittsboro.

BOST, SIDNEY S., Rector of St. Philip's Church, Durham.

*BRONSON, B. S., Rector of Emanuel Church, Warrenton.

BROWN, SIMEON J. M., Deacon, serving under the Rev. Dr. Murdoch, in Salisbury and Rowan County; P. O., Salisbury.

CHAMBERS, J. TAYLOR, Rector of Grace Church, Weldon, and the Church of the Saviour, Jackson; P. O., Weldon.

DAVIS, J. C., D.D., Rector of All Saints' Church, Concord; in charge also of the Church of the Redemption, Lexington, and St. Mary's, High Point; P. O., Concord.

*DELANY, HENRY B., Instructor in St. Augustine's School, Raleigh; in charge also of All Saints' Mission, Warrenton; P. O., Raleigh.

FETTER, CHARLES Rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd, Rocky Mount; in charge also of Mission at Smithfield; P. O., Rocky Mount.

*FETTER, FREDERICK A., Rector of St. Thomas' Church, Reidsville, and Epiphany, Leaksville; in charge also of Missions at Milton, Madison, Mayodan, Stoneville, and Cuningham; P. O., Reidsville.

GAMBLE EDWARD W., Rector of Calvary Church, Tarboro; in charge also of Missions in Edgecombe County.

*Greaves, Alban, Rector of St. Paul's Church, Louisburg, and St. James', Kittrell; P. O., Louisburg.

*Green, Edward P., residing at Ansonville.

Gregory, Henry T., Priest in charge of Emmanuel Church, Southern Pines.

Guignard, Sanders R., Rector of St. Andrew's Church, Greensboro; in charge also of St. Mary's Chapel.

Hilliard, Francis W., Principal of the Hilliard School, Oxford; in charge also of St. Peter's Church, Stovall, and St. Paul's, Goshen; P. O., Oxford.

Hunter, A. Burtis, Principal of St. Augustine's School; in charge also of St. Augustine's Chapel, Raleigh.

Ingle, Julian E., Rector of the Church of the Holy Innocents, Henderson.

Joyner, Francis, Rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd, Ridgeway; in charge also of St. Alban's, Littleton, St. Luke's, Gaston, and the Mission at Middleburg; P. O., Littleton.

King, James E., Deacon, officiating in the Church of St. Ambrose, Raleigh, and St. James', Pittsboro; P. O., Raleigh.

*Mallinckrodt, Harris, Rector of St. Paul's Church, Winston.

Marshall, M. M., D.D., Rector of Christ Church, Raleigh.

Meade, Wm. H., D.D., Rector of the Chapel of the Cross, Chapel Hill.

Murdoch, F. J., D.D., Rector of St. Luke's Church, Salisbury; in charge also of the other Churches and Chapels in Rowan County; P. O., Salisbury.

Osborne, E. A., Archdeacon of the Diocese; P. O., Charlotte.

Owens, Robert B., Rector of St. Stephen's Church, Oxford.

Perry, John W., Rector of St. Luke's Church, Tarboro.

*Phelps, Girard W., Rector of Trinity Church, Scotland Neck; in charge also of Mission at Tillery; P. O., Scotland Neck.

Picard, W. T., Deacon, officiating in the Church of the Saviour, Jackson.

Pittenger, I. McK., D.D., Rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd, Raleigh.

Pollard, John H. M., Archdeacon in charge of work among colored people; P. O., Raleigh.

PRUDEN, ALDRED A., Chaplain U. S. Army.

SAUNDERS, JOHN L , Deacon, officiating in St. Matthew's and St Jude's Mission, Rowan County; P. O., Salisbury.

SCHUBERT, LOUIS H., Rector of the Church of the Advent, Enfield, St. Clement's, Ringwood, and St. Mark's, Halifax; P. O., Enfield.

SHANNONHOUSE, ROYAL GRAHAM, Deacon, officiating in St. James' Church, Iredell County, Trinity, Statesville, and St. Mark's, Bristow; P. O., Statesville.

SMITH, WALTER J., Superintendent of the Thompson Orphanage and Training Institution, Charlotte.

**Towers, Frederick*, residing in Cambridge, Massachusetts.

TROTT, THOMAS LEE, Deacon, officiating in Rowan County under the Rev. Dr. Murdoch; P. O., Zeb, Rowan County.

WATTERS, S. PAXSON, Rector of St. Matthew's Church, Hillsboro; in charge also of St. Mary's, Orange County; P. O., Hillsboro.

WILLIAMS, JAMES H., Priest in charge of Missions at Mount Airy, Elkin, Germanton, and Walnut Cove; P. O., Mount Airy.

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† *Leman, Clarence C.*, Rector of St. Peter's Church, Charlotte.

† *Tolson, George M.*, Rector of Calvary Church, Wadesboro; in charge also of the Church of the Messiah, Rockingham; P. O., Wadesboro.

† *Wood, Lewis G.*, Rector of the Church of St. Athanasius, Burlington.

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† Received since May 1, 1901.

LIST OF THE CLERGY

ACCORDING TO DATE OF ORDINATION.

BISHOP.

The Right Reverend Joseph Blount Cheshire, D.D.

CONSECRATED OCTOBER 15, 1893.

PRIESTS.

Charles Theodore Bland	ordained	Nov.	17, 1850.
Francis William Hilliard	"	March	25, 1857.
Benjamin Swan Bronson	"	May	31, 1857.
Henry Trowbridge Gregory	"	May	10, 1859.
William Hopkins Meade, D.D.	"	Nov.	20. 1864.
James Taylor Chambers	"	June	11, 1865.
Julian Edward Ingle	"	June	11, 1865.
Matthias Murray Marshall, D.D.	"	Sept.	3. 1865.
Girard William Phelps	"	May	23. 1869.
James Henry Williams	"	June	25, 1869.
Francis Johnstone Murdoch. D.D.	"	May	8, 1870.
Johnson Carmon Davis, D.D.	"	June	30, 1870.
Thomas Bell	"	March	5, 1871.
James Battle Avirett	"	May	23, 1875.
Isaac McKendree Pittenger, D.D.	"	May	6, 1880.
Samuel Paxson Watters	"	Sept.	19. 1880.
Edwin Augustus Osborne	"	May	22, 1881.
Frederick Towers	"	June	8, 1881.
Aaron Burtis Hunter	"	May	1, 1882.
Alban Greaves	"	May	20, 1883.
Walter Johnston Smith	"	Nov.	15, 1885.
Louis Hector Schubert	"	May	31, 1886.
John Henry Mingo Pollard	"	Dec.	15, 1886.
John William Perry	"	April	7, 1887.
Edward Philip Green	"	Nov.	29, 1891.

Primus Priss Alston	ordained	Jan.	26, 1892.
Henry Beard Delany	"	May	2, 1892.
Aldred Adino Pruden	"	May	18, 1895.
Frederick Augustus Fetter	"	Dec.	21, 1895.
Charles Fetter	"	Dec.	21, 1895.
Sidney Stuart Bost	"	May	31, 1896.
Robert Bruce Owens	"	May	31, 1896.
Edward Watts Gamble	"	June	13, 1896.
Sanders Richardson Guignard	"	June	12, 1898.
Harris Mallinckrodt	"	Dec.	22, 1898.
Francis Joyner	"	June	21, 1899.

DEACONS.

William Thomas Picard	ordered	May	11, 1887.
Gaston Battle	"	March	26, 1893.
James Edward King	"	June	9, 1895.
Thomas Burke Bailey	"	June	9, 1895.
Simeon Jeremiah Michael Brown	"	Nov.	17, 1897.
Thomas Lee Trott	"	Feb.	26, 1899.
Royal Graham Shannonhouse	"	July	16, 1899.
John Linker Saunders	"	June	10, 1900.

CANDIDATES FOR PRIEST'S ORDERS.

Royal Graham Shannonhouse	admitted	July	21, 1896.
Thaddeus Ainsley Cheatham	"	July	18, 1900.
Francis Moore Osborne	"	March	21, 1901.
Richard Louis Bame	"	March	21, 1901.

LIST OF PARISHES AND MISSIONS

IN THE

DIOCESE OF NORTH CAROLINA,

WITH THE NAMES OF CLERGY IN CHARGE AND LAY DELEGATES TO THE CONVENTION.

PARISHES in small capitals. *Organized Missions* in italics. Missions entitled to representation marked †. Lay delegates present marked thus*. Names of alternates are placed under those of the Clergy in the right-hand column.

Ansonville,	†*All Souls.*	
	Wm. A. Smith.	L. L. Little.
Battleboro,	St. John's.	
Bristow,	†*St. Mark's*,	Rev. R. G. SHANNONHOUSE.
Burlington,	ST. ATHANASIUS,	Rev. LEWIS G. WOOD.
	*Erwin A. Holt.	J. Q. Gant.
	James P. Albright.	H. L. Holt.
	Solomon Homewood.	Jas. W. Kirkpatrick.
Cary.	Mission.	Rev. I. McK. PITTENGER, D.D.
Chapel Hill,	CHAPEL OF THE CROSS,	Rev. WM. H. MEADE, D.D.
	*Kemp P. Battle, LL.D.	M. C. S. Noble.
	R. S. McRae.	Archibald Henderson.
	*J. C. MacRae, LL.D.	T. J. Wilson, Jr., Ph.D.
	*Chas. Baskerville, Ph.D.	J. C. MacRae, Jr.
Charlotte,	St. Andrew's,	Rev. E A. OSBORNE.
Charlotte,	St. Mary's,	Rev. WALTER J. SMITH.
Charlotte,	†*St. Michael's*, (col.)	Rev. PRIMUS P. ALSTON.
	*E. W. Moss.	Thomas Smith.
Charlotte.	ST. PETER'S,	Rev. CLARENCE C. LEMAN,
	*John Wilkes.	H. C. Jones.
	J. S. Myers.	H. J. Gregg.
	*Heriot Clarkson.	J. F. Wilkes.
	John L. Villalonga.	*W. E. Callender.

Chestnut Hill,	ST. PAUL'S,	Rev. F. J. MURDOCH, D.D. Rev. S. J. M. BROWN.
	S. R. Harrison.	P. H. Henley.
	J. W. Holland.	F. M. Tarrh.
	Thomas Moore.	
	J. W. Pinkston.	
Concord.	ALL SAINTS,	Rev. J. C. DAVIS, D.D.
	Gowan Dusenbery.	
	B. Frank Rogers.	
	*Paul B. Means.	
Cooleemee,	Mission,	Rev. F. J. MURDOCH, D.D.
Cuningham.	Chapel.	Rev. F. A. FETTER.
Durham,	ST. PHILIP'S.	Rev. SIDNEY S. BOST.
	*Wm. L. Wall.	J. Harper Erwin.
	*Wm. A. Erwin.	I. N. Carr.
	*Paul C. Graham.	C. M. Herndon.
	*Albert Kramer.	W. H. Jones.
Edgecombe Co.,	St. Mary's.	Rev. E. W. GAMBLE.
Elkin,	Galloway Memorial,	Rev. JAMES H. WILLIAMS.
Enfield,	ADVENT,	Rev. LOUIS L. SCHUBERT.
	A. D Harrison, M.D.	Frank L. Pippen.
	J. J Whitaker.	Ivey Watson.
Euto,	*St. Timothy's*,	Rev. E. A. OSBORNE.
Gaston,	†*St. Luke's*,	Rev. FRANCIS JOYNER.
Germanton,	†*St. Philip's*.	Rev. JAMES H. WILLIAMS.
Goshen.	St. Paul's,	Rev. FRANCIS W. HILLIARD.
Greensboro,	ST. ANDREW'S,	Rev. SANDERS R. GUIGNARD.
	P. C. Pope.	T. C. Gales.
	J. D. Glenn.	H. L. Fry.
	W. H. Wetmore.	W. T. Powe.
	O. H. Williams.	D. D. DeButts.
Greensboro,	ST. BARNABAS,	Rev. THOMAS BELL.
	*W. E. Stone.	W. E. Schenck.
	*W. J. Clary.	O. D. Boycott.
	J. M. Dick.	W. Hawkins.
Greensboro,	*St. Cuthbert's*,	Rev. THOMAS BELL.
Gulf,	St. Mark's.	

Halifax.	St. Mark's,	Rev. Louis H. Schubert.
	George Gilliam.	
	John F. Gregory.	
	Sterling M. Gary.	
Henderson,	Holy Innocents,	Rev. Julian E. Ingle.
	E. G. Butler.	Maurice J. O'Neil.
	D. Y. Cooper.	M. B. Prince.
	*G. C. Lamb.	George A. Rose
	A. C. Zollicoffer.	Edwin Stephens.
High Point,	St. Mary's.	Rev. J. C. Davis, D.D.
Hillsboro,	St. Matthew's,	Rev. S. Paxson Watters.
	John W. Graham.	W. A Hayes
	D. H. Hamilton.	Brown Webb.
	George P. Collins.	J. C. Webb.
	E. A. Rosemond.	J. G. Roulhac Hamilton.
Iredell County,	St. James,	Rev. R. G. Shannonhouse.
	L. C. Overcash.	J. A Allison.
	J. H. Crosby.	W. L. Sloop.
Jackson,	Ch. of the Saviour,	Rev. J. Taylor Chambers. Rev. W. T. Picard.
	George P. Burgwyn.	John J. Long.
	H. W. Lewis, M.D.	John B. MacRae.
	R. B. Peebles.	C. G. Peebles.
	R. H. Stancell, M.D.	E J. Peebles.
Kittrell,	St. James,	Rev. Alban Greaves.
	Spotswood Burwell.	G. W. Kittrell.
	C. W. Raney.	Thomas Capehart.
Laurel Hill,	Mission.	
Lawrence,	Grace,	Rev. E. W. Gamble.
Leaksville.	Epiphany,	Rev. Frederick A. Fetter.
	A. B. Johns, M.D.	S. L. Martin, M.D.
	W. S. Martin, M.D.	J. B. Ray, M.D.
Lexington,	Redemption,	Rev. J. C. Davis, D.D.
Littleton,	*St. Albans,*	Rev. Francis Joyner.
Littleton,	Mission, (col.)	Rev. J. H. M. Pollard.
Louisburg,	St. Matthias, (col.)	Rev. J. H. M. Pollard.
Louisburg,	St. Paul's,	Rev. Alban Greaves.
	W. Perry Neal.	Robt. H. Davis.
	F. S. Spruill.	Wm. H. Ruffin.
	John W. King.	R. F. Yarborough.

Madison,	†*St. John's*,	Rev. F. A. Fetter.
Mayodan,	*Messiah*,	Rev. F. A. Fetter.
Middleburg,	*Heavenly Rest*,	Rev. Francis Joyner.
Milton,	Christ Church,	Rev. F. A. Fetter.
Mocksville,	St. Philip's.	
Moncure,	Grace, (col.)	Rev. J. H. M. Pollard.
Monroe,	†*St. Paul's*, John McCarten, Sr..	Rev. E. A. Osborne. Iredell Hilliard.
Mount Airy,	Trinity,	Rev. James H. Williams.
Noise,	St. Philip's. (col.)	Rev. J. H. M. Pollard.
Orange County,	†*St. Mary's*,	Rev. S. Paxson Watters.
Oxford,	St. Stephens, John G. Hall. W. D. Stimson. J. C. Horner. R. W. Lassiter.	Rev. Robert B. Owens. T. G. Taylor. J. W. Jackson. Harry Williams. B. N. Hanbold.
Pittsboro,	St. Bartholomew's, *Wm. L. London. *Henry A. London. George R. Pilkington. Arthur H. London.	Rev. Charles T. Bland.
Pittsboro,	†*St. James*, (col.)	Rev. James E. King.
Raleigh,	Christ Church, *Chas. E. Johnson. *R. H. Lewis, M.D. John C. Drewry. George Fraps.	Rev. M. M. Marshall, D.D. F. P. Haywood. C. D. Spencer. C. B. Wright. William Syme.
Raleigh,	Good Shepherd, *R. H. Battle, LL.D. *Jos. B. Batchelor, LL.D. W. J. Andrews. *Frank T. Ward.	Rev. I. McK. Pittenger, D.D. J. G Ball. S. B. Shepherd. Walter Woollcott. George T. Norwood.
Raleigh,	St. Ambrose, (col.) Wiley J. Latham. Philip Haywood.	Rev. James E. King. David P. Phifer. Thomas Williams.
Raleigh,	†*St. Augustine's*, (col.) *F. M. Kennedy.	Rev. A. B. Hunter. Rev. H. B. Delany.
Raleigh,	St. Mary's Chapel,	Rev. T. D. Bratton, D.D.

Raleigh,	St. Saviour's,	Rev. M. M. Marshall, D.D.
Reidsville,	St. Thomas,	Rev. F. A. Fetter.
	A. M. Whitsett, M.D.	A. H. Galloway.
	Wm. J. Anderson.	R. J. Mayo.
	James M. Mayo.	E. P. Anderson.
Ridgeway,	Good Shepherd,	Rev. Francis Joyner.
	W. L. Baxter.	Charles Petar, Jr.
	Charles Petar, Sr.	J. J. Crowder.
Ringwood,	St. Clement's,	Rev. Louis H. Schubert.
Rockingham,	Messiah,	Rev. George M. Tolson.
Rocky Mount,	Good Shepherd,	Rev. Charles Fetter.
	*E. G. Muse.	Jacob Battle.
	F. Y. Ramsey.	D. D. Cuthrell.
	B. H. Bunn.	D. W. Thorp.
	Thomas H. Battle.	L. L. Staton.
Rowan County,	Christ Church,	Rev. F. J. Murdoch. Rev Thomas L. Trott.
	W. P. Barber.	J. H. L. Rice.
	J. B. Kesler.	W. A. Barker.
	W. T. Gardner.	*W. A. Thompson.
	*W. F. Thompson.	
Rowan County,	St. Andrew's,	Rev. F. J. Murdoch, D.D.
	St. George's,	Rev. Thomas L. Trott.
	*W. F. Rice.	Thomas Bost.
	John H. Rice.	George B. Wetmore.
	S. H. Wetmore.	Edward L. Foster.
	T. F. Hellard.	W. A. Benson.
Rowan County,	*St. Jude's,*	Rev. F. J. Murdoch, D.D.
Rowan County,	*St. Matthew's,*	Rev. John L. Saunders.
Rowan County,	St. Mark's,	Rev. F. J. Murdoch, D.D.
Rowan County,	St. Mary's,	Rev. F. J. Murdoch, D.D.
	C. H. McKenzie.	J. A. Ramsaur, M.D.
	J. H. McKenzie.	T. J. McKenzie.
	W. L. Harris.	
	John Owen.	
Salisbury,	St. Luke's,	Rev. F. J. Murdoch, D.D.
	John L. Henderson.	J. O. White.
	S. F. Lord.	Joseph McNeely.
	*W.W. McKenzie, M.D.	T. B. Marsh.
	*Theodore Buerbaum.	W. G. Elgie.

Salisbury,	St. John's,	Rev. F. J. MURDOCH, D.D.
Salisbury,	St. Peter's,	Rev. S. J. M. BROWN.
Sanford,	St. Thomas,	Rev. CHARLES T. BLAND.
Satterwhite,	Mission, (col.)	Rev. J. H. M. POLLARD.
Scotland Neck,	TRINITY,	Rev. GIRARD W. PHELPS.
	O. A. Snipes.	J S. Paull.
	A. L. Purrington.	P. E. Smith.
	Gideon Lamb.	E. W. Hyman.
	*John Y. Savage.	J. E. Shields, M.D.
Smithfield.	Mission.	Rev. CHARLES FETTER.
Southern Pines,	*Emmanuel.*	Rev. HENRY T. GREGORY.
Statesville,	Mission, (col.)	Rev. THOMAS B. BAILEY.
Statesville,	†*Trinity*,	Rev. R. G. SHANNONHOUSE.
	J. J. Mott, M.D.	T. M. Mills.
Stoneville,	Emmanuel,	Rev. F. A. FETTER.
Stovall.	St. Peter's,	Rev. F. W. HILLIARD.
Tarboro,	CALVARY,	Rev. E. W. GAMBLE.
	Frederick Phillips.	H. H. Shaw.
	*Samuel L. Nash.	Henry Johnston.
	*H. I. Bass, M.D.	M. A. Curtis.
	C. F. Clayton.	J. K. Newton.
Tarboro,	ST. LUKE'S, (col.)	Rev. JOHN W. PERRY.
	Thomas Newton, Sr.	William Hart.
	*N. B. Brown.	Thomas Newton, Jr.
Wadesboro,	CALVARY.	Rev. GEORGE M. TOLSON.
	Thomas A. Marshall.	R. T. Bennett.
	Wm. L Steele.	J. A. Lockhart.
	J. A. Little.	John D. Leak.
	J. I. Dunlap.	William L. Marshall.
Walnut Cove,	†*Christ Church*,	Rev. JAMES H. WILLIAMS.
Warren County,	St. Luke's, (col.)	Rev. J. H. M. POLLARD.
Warrenton,	All Saints, (col.)	Rev. HENBY B. DELANY.
Warrenton.	EMMANUEL.	Rev. B. S. BRONSON.
	Wm. J. White.	W. K. Barham.
	*W. G. Rogers.	B. S. Feild.
	R. J. Jones.	Len Henderson.

Weldon,	GRACE,	Rev. J. TAYLOR CHAMBERS.
	Paul Garrett.	E. T. Clark.
	A. R. Zollicoffer, M.D.	E. H. Mellichampe.
Williamsboro,	ST. JOHN'S.	
	Walter B. Thomas.	W. T. Hardy.
	N. D. Boyd.	John Royster.
Wilson,	*St. Mark's*, (col.)	Rev. J. H. M. POLLARD.
Wilson,	ST. TIMOTHY'S,	Rev. CARY GAMBLE.
Winston,	ST. PAUL'S,	Rev. H. MALLINCKRODT.
	J. W. Schouler.	A. M. Coleman.
	R. D. Jewett, M.D.	R. E. Lassiter.
	H. B. Battle, M.D.	J. E. Buxton.
	*J. C. Buxton.	A. B. Daingerfield.

JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS.

The Eighty-fifth Annual Convention of the Diocese of North Carolina was held in St. Philip's Church, Durham, on Wednesday, May 22d, A. D. 1901.

The Rt. Rev. Joseph Blount Cheshire, D.D., Bishop of the Diocese, called the Convention to order at 10 o'clock A. M.

The Bishop having offered prayers, the roll was called by the Secretary and it was found that a quorum of both orders was not present.

On motion, a recess was taken for Divine service.

At 11 o'clock the Litany was said by the Rev. Francis Joyner and the Holy Communion celebrated by the Bishop, assisted by the Rev. Francis W. Hilliard. The Sermon was preached by the Rev. T. D. Bratton, Rector of St. Mary's School, from the text: "As my Father hath sent me even so send I you." St. John xx, 21.

The offerings of the congregation were received for the New York Bible and Common Prayer Book Society.

At the conclusion of Divine service the chair was taken by the Bishop.

A quorum being found present, on the nomination of Mr. John Wilkes, the Rev. M. M. Marshall, D.D., was elected President, and on that of the Rev. F. W. Hilliard, the Rev. Julian E. Ingle was elected Secretary of the Convention.

The Secretary announced the appointment of Mr. G. C. Lamb, of Henderson, as Assistant Secretary.

On motion of the Rev. S. S. Bost, it was

Resolved, That the daily sessions of the Convention begin with Morning Prayer at 9 o'clock and continue until 5.30 P. M., with a recess from 12.30 to 3.30 o'clock.

On motion of the Rev. A. B. Hunter, the recess, for this

day only, was extended to 4 o'clock, for the convenience of the Convocations.

On motion of the Rev. Dr. Marshall, the Bishop and Secretary were requested to send to the Council of the Diocese of East Carolina, sitting at Edenton, the greetings of the Convention of this Diocese on the occasion of the 200th anniversary of the founding of the Parish of St. Paul's, Edenton.

On motion of the Rev. F. W. Hilliard, it was

Resolved, That Clergymen of the Diocese who are not members of the Convention, visiting Clergymen, and Candidates for Holy Orders, present in the house, be and they are hereby invited to honorary seats in this body.

The Convocations having been called to meet at 3.30 o'clock, a recess was taken until 4 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY, May 22, 4 P. M.

The Convention was called to order by the Bishop, who announced the appointment of the Regular Committees, as follows:

On Canons:

The Rev. Francis W. Hilliard.
The Rev. Francis J. Murdoch, D.D.
The Rev. Edwin A. Osborne.
Mr. R. H. Battle, LL.D.
Mr. J. Cameron Buxton.

On the State of the Church:

The Rev. A. B. Hunter.
The Rev. S. Paxson Watters.
The Rev. John H. M. Pollard.
Mr. James D. Glenn.
Mr. William L. Wall.

On Finance:

The Rev. I. McK. Pittenger, D.D.
The Rev. Sidney S. Bost.
Mr. William L. London.
Mr. William A. Erwin.
Mr. J. Cameron Buxton.

On Elections:

The Rev. Edward W. Gamble.
The Rev. Bobert B. Owens.

Mr. John Wilkes.
Mr. Theodore Buerbaum.
Mr. F. M. Kennedy.

On New Parishes:

The Rev. Charles Fetter.
The Rev. Aldred A. Pruden.

Mr. Paul B. Means.
Mr. H. T. Bass, M.D.
Mr. Paul C. Graham.

On Unfinished Business:

The Rev. Henry T. Gregory.
The Rev. Walter J. Smith.

Mr. W. Perry Neal.
Mr. W. F. Rice.
Mr. John S. Henderson.

Mr. R. H. Battle presented the following

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE DIOCESE.

The Trustees to Hold Property for the Diocese of North Carolina respectfully report:

That they have received the followiug deeds since the Convention of 1900:

1. Deed, dated March 22, 1900, from Young E. Smith and wife to J. H. Erwin, C. M. Herndon and S. S. Bost, Trustees for lot in East Durham, on east side of Driver Street, containing about one-sixth of an acre.

2. Deed, dated April 26, 1900, from J. S. Smith and wife to Trustees of the Diocese, for lot of land in Union County, near Richardson's Creek, containing about two acres, St. Timothy's Church lot.

3. Deed, dated September 8, 1900, from Chas. F. Swicegood and wife to the Vestry of St. Andrew's Church, in Rowan County, for a lot in said county, adjoining St. Andrew's Church lot, containing three and one-fourth acres.

4. Deed, dated September 20, 1900, from Michael Beaver to the Trustees of the Diocese, for a lot of land in Rowan County, for St. Mark's Church, containing one acre.

5. Deed, dated August 4, 1900, from Laura F. Gallaway to the Trustees of the Diocese, for lot in Elkin, Surry County, on West Main Street, containing nearly half an acre.

6. Deed, dated February 12, 1901, from J. H. Erwin, C. M. Herndon and S. S. Bost to the Trustees of the Diocese for lot in East Durham, described in paragraph No. 1 above.

7. Deed, dated March 7, 1901, from F. J. Murdoch and wife, to the

Trustees of the Diocese, for a lot in Salisbury, Rowan County, at the intersection of Marsh and Ellis Streets, 46½ by 100 feet, in trust for a congregation of colored people.

8. Also, a deed in trust, marked *satisfied*, dated April 6, 1895, on St. Andrew's Chapel, in Mecklenburg County, said deed having been given to secure $1,000.

Respectfully reported,

JOS. BLOUNT CHESHIRE,
CHAS. E. JOHNSON,
R. H. BATTLE,
Trustees.

The Rev. Dr. Pittenger presented the following

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE.

The undersigned beg leave to report that on the 14th day of May they examined the accounts of the Treasurer of the Diocese and the securities in his possession, and found them all correct.

On behalf of the Committee on Finance,

I. McK. PITTENGER, *Chairman.*
S. A. ASHE.

Mr. Kemp P. Battle presented the following report:

The Commissioners for the sale of the land of the late Mary R. Smith, respectfully report that although they have used their utmost exertions, both publicly and privately, they have been, since the last Convention, unable to get a fair price for any part of the Smith lands, except two small tracts, one of 72½ acres, and the other of 26 acres, under the charge of W. C. Cole, Agent, who is authorized to negotiate sales at prices fixed by the Commissioners.

The two tracts sold brought $325 and $125. They are not eligible. The cash payments have been accounted for, leaving a small balance in hand.

KEMP P. BATTLE,
H. A. LONDON,
Commissioners.

The Bishop presented the following

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF ST. MARY'S SCHOOL.

In accordance with the requirements of the charter of incorporation of St. Mary's School, Raleigh, the Trustees of said School, through their President and Secretary, beg to submit the following report:

The past year has been a critical year for the School. St. Mary's was

for fifty-seven years the expression of the character and purposes of its revered founder and of his faithful and noble son. In the course of nature their work came to an end. The passing of the School under a different management, and the effort to establish it permanently upon another basis, necessarily produced many changes. It is always a question whether an old institution can pass into a new phase of being without losing much of its power and influence The past year has represented the coming in of new elements into the life of the School, and the attempt to adjust it to the pressing demands of the times. The new Rector of the School for the first time began the administration of the School under conditions in some degree of his own creation, and with methods and aims representing his ideals and hopes. The Trustees have felt that during the past year, much more than during any previous year of their control, St. Mary's was upon trial and in a crisis of its history.

It is therefore with a feeling of mingled thankfulness for the past and hope for the future, that they present this their fifth annual report to this Convention. They have to report much work done, much that is desirable accomplished, and much that needs to be done revealed in the experience of the year just past.

In the first place, they have to report a most gratifying increase in the number of boarding pupils. There has been an average attendance of over one hundred boarders, with an aggregate during the year of two hundred and one pupils of all classes, not including the Kindergarten Department, which has been removed from immediate connection with the School, and is now established nearer the center of population in the city under one of our most cultivated and valued graduates.

To carry on the work of the School, and to give due attention to the pupils, there are twenty-one officers and teachers employed. The Trustees are much gratified to be able to report that the Rector and his admirable assistants and subordinates deserve and enjoy the fullest confidence and respect of the public, and more especially of the friends and patrons of the School. Their work during the past year has been faithful and effective. The Trustees are further assured that the tone of the School, both intellectual and moral, is high and pure. A mutual sympathy and enthusiasm animates teachers and pupils. The invaluable spirit of loyalty to St. Mary's and devotion to its interests, which characterized the School under its founder and his immediate successor, has not been lost. There has been no break in the continuity of sentiment. There is no new St. Mary's. There is only the same old St. Mary's, thankful for and proud of its past, and determined to be worthy of it by building well and nobly upon the old foundations a structure of ever increasing beauty and usefulness.

In this connection it may be well to say that the re-arrangement of

the course of study, and the raising of the requirements for graduation, have stimulated the intellectual and scholarly ambition of the pupils, and have brought the School nearer to what the Diocesan School of the Carolinas should and must be. The transition from the old *curriculum* to the new has been managed with admirable skill and judgment, and has been a help rather than a hindrance even in the very process of the change.

The Trustees are pleased to report that at their annual meeting in June, 1900, they fulfilled their obligations to the Diocese of North Carolina by establishing two free scholarships, "*The Mary E. Chapeau Scholarship*," for a daughter of a Clergyman, and "*The Mary Ruffin Smith Scholarship*," each to be enjoyed by nominees of the Bishop of North Carolina: and that during the past year both have been held by worthy and promising pupils. They also report that a scholarship similar to the former of those already named has been founded by them in consideration of the investment of the sum of three thousand dollars with the Trustees of the Diocese of East Carolina for that purpose, and has during the past year been filled by the Bishop of East Carolina's nominee, the daughter of a late most worthy Clergyman of that Diocese.

The Trustees do not think it necessary or desirable to continue to encumber their reports to this Convention with detailed financial statements and accounts of the Treasurer and of the Agents of the Board. These are furnished to the annual meetings of the Trustees, who alone are competent to receive and to deal with them. But the financial situation is a very vital matter in the carrying on of this work, and they will endeavor to make to the Convention, as briefly and succinctly as possible, an intelligible statement of the present financial condition of the School.

First, as to the School itself and its internal management: The Trustees remind the Convention of the fact that when they assumed control of St. Mary's School, they laid down the principle of reducing the school charges to such a rate as would provide for the running expenses of the School upon an economical basis, with only a small margin of possible profit towards the payment of the interest on the debt. It was determined that the Diocesan School of the Carolinas should not be a school for the benefit of the daughters of the rich, from which those of moderate means should be excluded by high charges. This principle has been adhered to, and the Trustees are proud to report that in their opinion there is not a school in the country where the same advantages can be enjoyed at such moderate cost. This must be borne in mind in considering the financial condition.

The fiscal year of the Corporation is from May 1st to May 1st, and this report therefore covers the twelve months from May 1st, 1900, to May 1st, 1901.

During the past year, if the School were charged with only its proper

running expenses and a reasonable amount for ordinary repairs, the income of the School would fully satisfy all those charges, with provision made for the annual proportion of insurance on the buildings, and in addition thereto a very satisfactory balance to be applied to the interest on the debt. But the sudden and very great increase in the number of boarding pupils who attended at the opening of the session in September, 1900, proved a very great temporary embarrassment. There was not room to house them in the School buildings, and furniture, bedding and supplies of all kinds were wanting for their proper comfort and accommodation. While it is quite proper to charge to the running expenses of a school current replacing of furniture, bedding, crockery, table linen, etc., the original supply and outfit in such things does not belong to ordinary expenses. In such extraordinary expenses as these, which do not belong to the regular expenses of the School, there was during the past year an outlay by the Rector of something over twenty-five hundred dollars. The accounts for the year have not been closed, and the bills for tuition, etc., have not been collected in full, so that it is impossible to say how the account for the year when stated will stand. It is not expected, however, that after paying the above large extraordinary expenses there will be any considerable margin of profit. But the Trustees feel that the above exhibit is far from being a discreditable or unsatisfactory one.

When we come to the financial condition of the Corporation as distinct from the School proper, an analagous state of things presents itself. The Trustees have, during the past year, from May 1st, 1900, to May 1st, 1901, received a large sum of money—something like $18,000. This has been paid in on various accounts as briefly set forth below:

From Diocese of North Carolina	$ 960.63
East Carolina	3,000 00
" Principal and interest of notes	7,036.99
" Cash subscriptions	5,836.46
" Dr. Smedes's estate, rents	831.25
" Dividend on insurance policy	34.00
Balance on hand May 1st, 1900	651.24
	$18,350.57

With this great sum of money paid into their hands, it would seem that the Trustees should have been able to pay off a very large part of the debt remaining on the property. And had the School been less prosperous they would have been able to pay at least six thousand dollars more than they have paid. But with the unexpectedly large number of pupils, it had to be considered how they could be provided for. For some months this was done by renting a large house near the School at the rate of six hundred dollars a year. This, however, could

be only a temporary expedient. Furthermore, the Trustees until recently had been renting from Mrs. Smedes all the furniture and school fixtures in use in the school at five hundred dollars a year. Some arrangement had to be made that the School might own its furniture and apparatus. The Trustees therefore proceeded to erect a building for the residence of the Rector of the School. They also felt themselves obliged by the demands of their patrons and the best friends of the School to increase very greatly the bathing facilities and other internal conveniences of the school buildings, and to erect a reasonably convenient infirmary; also to build a number of practice rooms for the music pupils, and to re-arrange and wholly remodel the interior of the west "*Rock House.*" These were not only very great and valuable improvements in themselves, and demanded by the necessities of the case and the present conditions of school patronage, but by these changes and by the erection of these additional buildings, accommodations were provided within our own buildings for forty additional pupils, which, at $200 each, means an additional income of $8,000 annually. Under these circumstances the Trustees felt that they could not refuse to do what was so absolutely necessary for carrying on the work of the School. Moreover, it must be said that the representatives of East Carolina at the last annual meeting of the Trustees understood and agreed that the $3,000 from that Diocese should be expended in the discretion of the Trustees; the payment of nearly a thousand dollars from the Diocese of North Carolina was wholly unconditional; several considerable subscriptions were paid in expressly to enable this particular work to be done: and finally the Trustees felt that all funds in their hands were entrusted to them to be used in their sound discretion for the furtherance of the best interests of the School, and for its permanent establishment and development to meet the demands and hopes of the Church.

With this very brief and inadequate explanation they submit the following compendious statement of the disbursement of the funds in their hands during the year covered by this report:

Salary and expenses of agents soliciting contributions, pupils, etc	$2,285.38
Paid on principal of debt	2,000.00
Paid on interest	1,783.00
Loan returned	690.00
Interest	38.20
Rector's house	2,473.11
Infirmary, practice rooms, plumbing, remodelling "Rock House," etc	3,936.43
On account of building for kindergarten	165.00
Carried forward	13,371.12

Brought forward	$13,371.12
Insurance	301.22
Rent on furniture	479.17
Purchase of furniture	3,000 00
Cash balance May 1, 1901	860.01
	18,011.52
Sundry expenses of corporation	339 05
	18,350,57

The Trustees are happy to say that since May 1st nearly two thousand dollars in cash subscriptions has been received, and that $2,000, with interest to date of payment, has been paid upon the debt, so that at this present the principal debt is $27,000, with all interest paid so far as the same has fallen due; and there are in the hands of the Treasurer notes and subscriptions to the amount of over $10,000, so that the principal of the debt outstanding and unprovided for is something less than $17,000.

They can not close this report without expressing their sense of the great importance to the School of the work done by the Rev. Aldred A. Pruden, the financial agent of the School, through whose unwearied exertions so large a part of the debt has been paid or provided for, and their regret that they can no longer retain his services. They would express also their deep sense of the faithful services of all the officers, teachers, and other agents of the School, and of the Board of Trustees. All have labored faithfully and well. And the President and Secretary in presenting this report take the liberty of saying that those faithful laymen and Clergymen serving on the Executive Committee deserve the special thanks of the Church for the constant and ready devotion of their time and energies to the work of St. Mary's School.

Respectfully submitted,

JOS. BLOUNT CHESHIRE,
President Board of Trustees.

K. P. BATTLE, JR.,
Secretary and Treasurer.

The Rev. E. A. Osborne presented the following

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF MANAGERS OF THE THOMPSON ORPHANAGE AND TRAINING INSTITUTION.

The fifteenth annual meeting of the Board of Managers of the Thompson Orphanage and Training Institution was held the 26th of April, 1901.

The Board is glad to report the Institution as being in a healthy and prosperous condition, and that it continues to deserve and command

the confidence and loyal support of Church people throughout the State. The report of the Superintendent hereto appended as a part of our report, shows that nearly $4,000 in contributions were received during the year, and that contributions in kind have been as generous as usual; so that an average of about sixty children have been comfortably supplied with food, raiment and schooling.

The Auditing Committee report that they have found the Superintendent's accounts correct and properly kept.

The Trustee of Endowment Funds reported that he had loaned the funds in his hands, and that they were paying interest. The condition of the premises, appearance aud bearing of the children, and general aspect of the Institution all bear witness to wise and judicious management on the part of the Superintendent and his assistants, while his accounts and report show good judgment and economy.

The Board would call attention to several improvements that are much needed, to supply which will require special contributions. The first in order, and perhaps in importance, is the furnishing of bathing apartments for the children. The Rev. Mr. Pruden procured some funds for this purpose But some two or three hundred dollars more will be necessary to provide what is wanted.

An industrial building is also much needed, with apartments for carpentering, smithing, shoemaking, printing, etc.

A new organ for the Chapel is also very much needed. The one kindly furnished by a lady of Wilmington several years since, has ceased to be serviceable, and the Chapel is without an organ.

The *Messenger of Hope* is a most important auxiliary to the work of the Orphanage, and should receive the active support of all the friends of the Institution. The Superintendent should be enabled to employ an assistant in its management, so that he could devote more of his time to the work of the Orphanage. If there was a canvassing agent in every congregation who would collect and forward subscriptions without charge, the income from the paper would be so increased that this could be done and it would be a great help to the Institution.

There is great need of a small endowment for the Orphanage. The Board notes with pleasure that something has been done in this direction, a generous layman of East Carolina having given $2,000, and others have given smaller sums. We hope and ask that others will do likewise, until an income of some $2,000 a year is secured. This would enable the Institution to feed and clothe nearly one hundred children with about the same amount of contributions we now receive, as a large portion of the cash paid out for current expenses is for salaries of Superintendent and other employes.

Respectfully submitted,

E. A. Osborne,
For the Board of Managers.

REPORT OF THE REV. W. J. SMITH SUPERINTENDENT OF THE THOMPSON ORPHANAGE AND TRAINING INSTITUTION.

To the Board of Managers, Greeting:

It is again my privilege and duty to present to you my annual report as Superintendent of the Orphanage, and in doing so I wish, first of all, to express my devout thankfulness to Almighty God for the many blessings which He has vouchsafed us during the past year. It is true that we have had some sickness, which is no more than may be expected in so large a family as ours, especially during an epidemic, but the lives of all the children have been spared for future usefulness, we hope, both to themselves and to others. The general prevalence of the grip this past winter exposed us to the liability of contracting that dread disease, and it did finally lay hold upon us with its relentless grasp. In reporting the cases of sickness I shall classify them as far as possible, and give the number occurring in each house. In Thompson Hall there were two cases of pneumonia, twenty-five of the grip, eighteen of chills and fever, and two slight accidents. In Bronson Hall there was one case of typhoid fever, one of pneumonia, twenty of the grip, fourteen of chills and fever, and one accident. One of the boys had the back of his hand badly cut with an axe, and it may result in a partial disuse of his fingers. The health of the children generally at present is very good. Dr. Capehart continued to act as our physician till June, when he tendered his resignation and was succeeded by Dr. Crowell, who accepted the position for the term of twelve months. Both of these gentlemen took a kind interest in the welfare of the children, for which we are very grateful. Owing to a pressure of work and a prolonged absence from the city, Dr. Crowell has tendered his resignation to be acted upon at this meeting of your Body.

During the past year repairs and improvements have been made at a cost of something over a hundred dollars, besides the forty-five dollars expended by the Orphanage Guild of St. Peter's Parish, Charlotte, on Thompson Hall. More would have been done but for a dread of a deficit in the treasury. Such a calamity did happen at one time, but the friends of the Institution came nobly to the rescue, and by their generous contributions on Thanksgiving Day, and since that time, both in cash and kind, they have relieved the pressure, and placed our finances on a solid basis. We hope, however, that this fact will not cause any persons to withhold their contributions with the idea that they are not needed, for we are obliged to have a reserve fund on hand to meet the demands of the dull summer months. On reference to the treasurer's statement it will be seen that the receipts during the past year were less than the year previous, and yet the balance on hand is greater. It should be remembered, however, that the fiscal year closed a month earlier this year in order that the treasurer might have time to balance

his accounts, and make out his report before the meeting of the Board. The farm has done a little better than it did last year, though there has been a falling off in the supply of milk, owing partly to having a smaller number of cows. The *Messenger of Hope*, a very helpful and necessary assistance to our work, has fallen much below its usual showing, owing in a great measure to the fact that the field has not been thoroughly canvassed. Our agent, Miss Whitaker, has had sickness in her family, besides other hindrances, and hence has been able to travel over only a part of the State. The heavy rains this spring have done considerable damage to the low grounds, involving some expense, and delaying the planting of the crop. The school, I think, has done good work throughout the year. Mrs. C. J. Pierce, of Greensboro, Ala., was in charge of the Senior department from September until the Christmas holidays, and gave entire satisfaction. Since that time, Miss White, who had charge of the Primary department a part of the previous year has succeeded Mrs. Pierce, and filled the position very acceptably. Miss Essie Call, returned to the Orphanage in September, and has taught the Primary department since that time, doing, I believe, good work. Miss Mackay and Miss Capehart have remained faithful at their posts as matrons, and I wish to express my special appreciation of their services during my long attack of sickness last fall. They each took a month's vacation during the summer, and in their absence their places were filled by Miss Florence M. Foote, of Auburn, Va., who devoted herself very energetically to the work.

During the fall Miss Lola E. Walton, of Morganton, spent a month with us as assistant in different ways, and since January she has been employed as sewing teacher, and as nurse, when necessary. I regret very much that we shall lose her valuable services after the beginning of the summer, as she has accepted the position of Matron of the Infirmary at St. Mary's School. The children have taken much interest in the sewing school, and I hope it can be continued, with the assistance of Miss Cameron and her faithful "Messengers." I also hope that during the next year the carpenter shop and shoe shop will be opened. Much has been done by our friends to make the children more comfortable, and to lessen our expenses, all of which has been duly acknowledged, and for which I wish again to express our thanks, especially for the pantry supplies. The Rev. Mr. Pruden has shown a kind and active interest in the Orphanage in his efforts to supply both houses with bathrooms—a long and much felt want. So far one hundred and twenty dollars have been contributed for this purpose, but for various good reasons work has not yet commenced. The Junior Auxiliary of Christ Church, Raleigh, has given $123.00 for the purchase and endowment of a cot to be known as "The Ada Foster Memorial Cot," and Mrs. Cowles, of Los Angeles, Cal., has added $12.50 more to the "Mary Louise Cowles Memorial Fund."

During the year we have received into the Orphanage fourteen children, seven from the Diocese of North Carolina, two of whom had been with us before, one from East Carolina, and six from the District of Asheville. Five have been provided with homes, four have returned to their fathers, four to their mothers, and four have left without permission.

The boys who ran away were from ten to fourteen years old when they came here, and were more or less restless and troublesome the whole time they were with us. After several years experience in the work, I have come to the conclusion that boys should not be received over eight years old, nor girls over ten, unless for some specially urgent reason, and I would also recommend that we should be more particular as to the character of the children whom we receive, for one bad child can undo the work of many good teachers, and in my opinion the Orphanage should not be regarded as a reformatory for youthful criminals.

I would also recommend that definite and specific regulations should be laid down as to the putting out of children into the homes of other people.

The present number of children in the Orphanage is fifty-nine—thirty from the Diocese of North Carolina, sixteen from the Diocese of East Carolina, and thirteen from the District of Asheville.

Before closing my report, I would further recommend that some assistance be given the Superintendent in keeping his accounts, and also in getting out the paper, so that he may devote more time to the direct management of the Institution.

In conclusion, I wish again to thank all of our good friends throughout the State, as well as those beyond its borders, and especially those in our own city of Charlotte, for their continued interest in the work. Specially do I wish to thank those friends in the city who have so gladly and willingly given their professional services to the children. Specially, too, do I wish to thank the Railroads and Express Company for their uniform courtesy and valuable assistance in our work.

Following is my statement as treasurer for the past year:

W. J. Smith, *Treasurer*, In account with the Thompson Orphanage and Training Institution, from May 1st, 1900, to March 31st, 1901.

Balance brought forward from last year	$ 474.26
Contributions, etc	3,864.58
Farm products, etc., sold	345.40
Messenger of Hope	202.30
Rents	537.75
Farm products consumed	435.50
Dairy products consumed	253.50
	$6,113.29

PAYMENTS.

General expenses	$3,242.69
Farm	521.33
Messenger of Hope	381.48
Farm products consumed	435.50
Dairy products consumed	253.50
Balance on hand	1,278.79
	$6,113.29

Respectfully submitted,

W. J. SMITH, Supt.

On motion of the Rev. Dr. Marshall, the last two reports were referred to special committees of five each, and the Bishop appointed as members of these the following persons:

On St. Mary's School, Rev. I. McK. Pittenger, D.D., the Rev. E. A. Osborne, the Rev. Charles Fetter, Mr. J. C. MacRae and Mr. H. A. London; on the Thompson Orphanage, the Rev. M. M. Marshall, D.D., the Rev. S. P. Watters, Mr. Heriot Clarkson, Mr. W. E. Stone and Mr. J. Cameron Buxton.

The Rev. A. B. Hunter presented the follow report, which, on his motion, was referred to the Committee on the State of the Church:

The Principal of St. Augustine's School begs to report that during the past year there have been in the Institution sixteen teachers and nearly three hundred pupils, and there have been over one hundred boarding pupils. For the first time systematic instruction in carpentry and printing has been given to all the young men of the School, cooking and sewing having already been a part of the course for the girls. The young men have erected a six-room cottage for one of the married teachers. An important drain has been laid, grading has been continued, and the work of the farm kept up There are two graduates in the Collegiate Department and three in the Normal Department. There has been one graduate from the Training School for Nurses, and the course there has been lengthened to two years. There have been eighty patients in St. Agnes' Hospital.

A. B. HUNTER,
Principal.

Mr. John Wilkes presented the reports of the Managers of St. Peter's Hospital and the Good Samaritan Hospital at Charlotte. (See Appendix B.)

On motion of the Rev. Dr. Marshall, the thanks of the Convention were presented to the Rev. A. A. Pruden, late Financial Agent of St. Mary's School, for his very faithful and efficient labors in raising funds for the purchase of the property.

The Rev. E. A. Osborne presented the following

REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE MISSIONARY COMMITTEE.

The Executive Missionary Committee respectfully report as follows:

There are 14 ministers who receive stipends for missionary work in the Diocese, including the Archdeacon; but with the exception of the Archdeacon the principal portion of their support comes from the people to whom they minister. The Treasurer reports that he has received during the year $3,362.70 for missionary purposes. Nine hundred and twenty dollars of this amount was collected by the Archdeacon. The Treasurer's disbursements amount to $3,508.53, or $145.83 more than he has received. This is an improvement on last year's financial condition, the year having begun with a deficit of $444.82. The Treasurer has paid off all the missionary stipends, and reduced the deficiency to $145.83, as stated.

The reports of those doing missionary work show that they have been active and faithful in their labors. The mission schools of the Diocese are doing most excellent work, and are most important agencies in the mission field, and their number should be largely increased, if we had the means of support. In fact, they are essential for effective and thorough missionary work.

The Committee earnestly appeal to the members of the Church in the Diocese for their hearty co-operation in their efforts to extend and carry on the mission work of the Church. There are many communities in the Diocese where there are from one to six or eight families who are without the services of the Church, while there are many others, in fact whole counties, in which the teachings of the Church are unknown, and in many sections there is scarcely any Christian teaching of any kind.

There are nearly 100,000 souls gathered around the numerous cotton mills in the Diocese who are in much spiritual destitution, who claim our sympathy and aid.

It has been truly said that the test of vitality in the Church is interest in missionary work. While there is evidence of such interest on the part of many of our people, the interest is not what it should be; and we must think that the deficiency arises from a lack of realizing the needs and opportunities of the Church. If the importance and necessities of the work were constantly proclaimed from every pulpit,

written up in the *Messenger of Hope*, and agitated in monthly meetings of the congregations, and by Guilds and local societies until every member of the Church, old enough to understand the subject, should become acquainted with the needs of the work, we think there would be found plenty of laborers and means for their support.

E. A. Osborne,
For the Committee.

On motion, the Convention adjourned to meet tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

After Evening Prayer at 8 o'clock, by the Rev. Messrs. E. A. Osborne, Wm. H. Meade, D.D., and Julian E. Ingle, the Bishop of the Diocese preached a Memorial Sermon upon the life and character of the Rev. William S. Pettigrew, late Rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd, Ridgeway.

SECOND DAY.

St. Philip's Church, Durham,
Thursday, May 23, 1901.

The Convention met pursuant to adjournment. Morning Prayer was said by the Rev. Walter J. Smith and the Rev. R. G. Shannonhouse. At the conclusion of the service, in the absence of the Bishop and the President, the Secretary called the Convention to order. On motion of Mr. S. S. Nash, the Rev. F. W. Hilliard was called to the chair. The calling of the roll was, on motion, dispensed with. The minutes of yesterday were read and approved.

The President appeared and took the chair.

Mr. Charles E. Johnson presented his Annual Report as Treasurer of the Convention. (See Appendix C.)

The Rev. Dr. Murdoch presented his report as Clerical Trustee of the University of the South, as follows:

I respectfully report the amounts received by me during the past year for the Theological Department of the University of the South:

Henderson, Holy Innocents	$ 7.00
Pittsboro, St. Bartholomew's	6.80
Oxford, St. Stephen's	2.63
Hillsboro, St. Matthew's	8.99
Salisbury, St. Luke's	7.00
Charlotte, St. Mary's	2.17
Sundries	2.16
Durham, St. Philip's	5.25
Total	$42 00

F. J. Murdoch,
Clerical Trustee.

The Rev. H. T. Gregory, Chairman of the Committee on Unfinished Business, reported that there was nothing to be noted except a report from the Committee on Canons, which was ready for presentation.

The Rev. I. McK. Pittenger, D.D., presented his report as Diocesan Commissioner of the American Church Building Fund, as follows:

At the present time the amount of the Permanent Fund is $359,274.63. Outstanding on loans to churches, $123,568.70. Amount of loans returned by churches since last annual report, Sept. 1, 1900, $18,352.72. Loans made since last annual report, $1,046. Gifts made to the present time to 195 churches amounting to $29,701.33.

In the Diocese of North Carolina seven loans have been made, amounting to $7,063.75, which have all been paid in full with interest.

Gifts have been made to twelve churches in the Diocese, amounting to $1,930.

Contributions to the fund since May 1, 1900, from the Diocese of North Carolina are as follows:

St. Mark's, Bristow	$1.53
St. Bartholomew's. Pittsboro	3.45
St. Thomas, Sanford	.55
St. Luke's, Salisbury	1.00
St. Peter's Salisbury	1.40

St. Paul's, Chestnut Hill	$0.53
St. Mary's, Rowan County	1.44
St. Augustine's, Raleigh	10.12
St. Stephen's, Oxford	2.39
St. Philip's, Durham	2.45
Holy Innocents, Henderson	5.50
Total	30.48

I am in receipt of a letter from the Rev. Mr. Perkins, Corresponding Secretary of the Commission, urging that efforts be made to secure offerings from a larger number of the churches in the Diocese, and asking, through the medium of this report, to lay this appeal before the Convention. Respectfully submitted,

I. McK. Pittenger.
Commissioner.

The Rev. F. W. Hilliard presented the following

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CANONS.

The Committee on Canons, to whom was referred a certain preamble and resolution on the subject of the metes and bounds of Parishes and Missions, introduced by Mr. Iredell Hilliard in the Convention of 1900, beg leave respectfully to report:

The only provision made by the General Convention with regard to Parish boundaries is one which leaves them to be determined by the Diocesan Convention, and, until action is taken by that body, by the Bishop and Standing Committee. See Title III, Canon 3, Section ii, and Title I, Canon 18, Section vi.

It is to be presumed that in this Diocese neither body has felt the necessity of action, and this necessity does not now arise from the relations of Parishes which are, in any practical sense, contiguous to one another, but rather from the fact that Parishes are not contiguous, but leave large spaces out in the cold, for which none of them is responsible.

The first thing necessary for these spaces, in the way of organization, is that they be defined. But this definition can hardly be accomplished at present, except indirectly—that is, by the definition of the boundaries of the Parishes in their neighborhood.

The first thing then to be done is to make some such definition, and the townships of the various counties, which indeed are mentioned in this connection in Title I, Canon 18, Sec. vi, of the Digest, seem to make this possible. A request from the Convention to the Bishop and Standing Committee to co-operate with Rectors and Vestries of the several Parishes in defining their limits seems to your committee the

only step necessary or desirable at present with regard to the subjects treated in the above-mentioned preamble and resolution.

Your committee recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Bishop and Standing Committee be requested to co-operate with the Rectors and Vestries of the Diocese in defining the limits of the various Parishes.

F. W. HILLIARD,
Chairman.

The resolution appended to the report was, on motion, adopted.

The Rev. R. B. Owens, Secretary of the Convocation of Raleigh, presented the following resolution, which was, on his motion, referred to the Committee on Canons:

At a meeting of the Convocation of Raleigh, held in Henderson, November 17th, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Convocation be requested to present a memorial to the next Convention, suggesting the propriety of the appointment of a special Treasurer for Diocesan Missions.

R. B. OWENS,
Secretary of the Convocation of Raleigh.

The Bishop appeared and took the chair, and proceeded to read his Annual Address. (See Appendix A.)

On motion of the Rev. F. W. Hilliard, so much of the Bishop's Address as refers to the late Rev. Joseph W. Murphy was referred to a Special Committee consisting of two Clergymen and one layman, to report to this Convention.

On motion of the Rev. Walter J. Smith, so much as refers to the late Rev. Wm. S. Pettigrew was referred to a like Committee.

On motion of Mr. Charles E. Johnson, so much as refers to St. Mary's School was referred to the Special Committee appointed yesterday to consider the report of the Trustees.

On motion of Mr. R. H. Battle, the statistics contained in the address were referred to the Committee on the State of the Church.

On motion of the Rev. E. A. Osborne, so much as refers

to Parishes assisted by the Executive Missionary Committee, and to Archdeacons and stated offerings, was referred to the Committee on Canons.

On motion of the Rev. A. B. Hunter, so much as refers to Delegates to the General Convention was referred to a Committee of three, of whom the Treasurer should be one.

The Committees thus called for were appointed as follows:

The Committee in regard to the late Rev. J. W. Murphy: the Rev. F. W. Hilliard, the Rev. S. P. Watters and Mr. W. L. London.

The Committee in regard to the late Rev. Wm. S. Pettigrew: the Rev. M. M Marshall, D.D., the Rev. Julian E. Ingle and Mr. John Wilkes.

The Committee on Delegates to the General Convention: the Rev. A. B. Hunter, Mr. Charles E. Johnson and Mr. J. C. Buxton.

The Rev. Dr. Marshall presented the following

REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE.

The Standing Committee, elected by the last Convention, met for organization on the 18th day of July, 1900, at Christ Church Rectory in the city of Raleigh. The Rev. M. M. Marshall, D.D., was elected President, and the Rev. Julian E. Ingle Secretary.

At this meeting also Thaddeus Ainsley Cheatham, of the University of North Carolina, was recommended to be admitted as a candidate for Holy Orders; and the consent of the Committee was given to the consecration of the Rev. Robert Woodward Barnwell, Rector of St. Paul's Church, Selma, Alabama, as Bishop Coadjutor of the Diocese of Alabama

On the 14th day of September, 1900, the Committee gave consent to the consecration of the Rev. Reginald Heber Weller, Jr., D.D., Rector of the Church of the Intercession, Stevens Point, Diocese of Fond du Lac, as Bishop Coadjutor of that Diocese.

On the 21st day of March, 1901, Francis Moore Osborne, of Charlotte, and Richard Louis Bame, of Salisbury, were recommended to be received as candidates for Holy Orders, and the resignation of the Rev. B. S. Bronson, as a member of this Committee, was presented and accepted. Respectfully submitted,

M. M. MARSHALL,
President.

On motion of the Rev. F. J. Murdoch, D.D., the Convention proceeded to the election of a Treasurer.

Dr. Murdoch nominated Mr. Charles E. Johnson. There being no other nomination, the Secretary was, on motion, instructed to cast the vote of the Convention for Mr. Johnson, and he was declared elected.

The Convention having resolved to go into the election of the Standing Committee, on motion of Mr. Charles E. Johnson, the Bishop appointed as tellers Rev. Walter J. Smith and Mr. W. E. Callender. The ballots having been cast the tellers retired, and on their return announced the election of the following persons: The Rev. M. M. Marshall, D.D., the Rev. Julian E. Ingle, the Rev. I. McK. Pittenger, D.D., Mr. R. H. Battle, and Mr. P. E. Hines, M.D.

On motion of the Rev. Dr. Pittenger, it was

Resolved, That the balance in the hands of the Treasurer, on account of the Diocesan Church Building Fund, be appropriated to the work at Smithfield, and that all further contributions for that fund be transmitted to the American Church Building Fund.

The Rev. F. W. Hilliard, from the Committee on Canons, submitted a report in regard to a proposed amendment of Chapter III, Canon VIII, which, on motion of the Rev. H. T. Gregory, was referred to the Committee for further consideration.

On motion of Mr. R. H. Battle, it was

Resolved, That every Clergyman in the Diocese be requested to solicit from his congregation an offering, on the second Sunday in June, for the benefit of the sufferers by the late fire in Jacksonville, Florida, and to remit the same to the Bishop of Florida for appropriation at his discretion.

On motion, the Convention took a recess until 3.30 o'clock.

THURSDAY, May 23, 3.30 P. M.

The Convention was called to order by the Bishop.

Mr. R. H. Battle offered the following preamble and resolution which, on motion, was unanimously adopted by a rising vote:

WHEREAS, It is stated by the Treasurer of the Convention that he has received from a lady of the Diocese a donation of $781.79, of which $300 is given to the Permanent Episcopal Fund and the residue to the Missionary Fund, and it is understood that she does not wish that her name be revealed, but that instead of being wealthy she is possessed of but little of this world's goods: it is

Resolved, That the thanks of the Convention are due and are hereby tendered to this unknown benefactor of the Diocese, and of the Missionaries whose labors should be recognized by increased offerings for their support.

The Rev. J. H. M. Pollard, Archdeacon for work among the colored people, presented his annual report which, on his motion, was referred to the Committee on the State of the Church. (See Appendix B.)

On motion of the Rev. M. M. Marshall, D.D., the Bishop was requested to assume entire control of the so-called Twentieth Century Fund, collected at his instance, and to dispose of the same in the exercise of his own discretion.

The Rev. I. McK. Pittenger, D.D., presented the following

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE.

The Committee on Finance beg leave to submit the following report:

The Treasurer of the Diocese reports a balance on hand of $457.10.

The amount reported in the Journal of 1900, upon which the assessment is to be levied, is $23,454.26.

An assessment of 13½ per cent upon this sum will yield $3.166.

These two amounts, together with what will probably be collected upon arrearages, it is thought, will provide for the expenses of the Diocese for the ensuing year.

The Committee offer the following resolution:

Resolved, That the arrearages of certain Parishes and Missions be remitted, as follows: St. Mary's, Edgecombe, $37.65; Emmanuel,

Southern Pines, $69.03; St. Paul's, Winston, amount due up to May, 1900; St. Bartholomew's, Pittsboro, $36.62; St. Barnabas, Greensboro, $50.

Respectfully submitted,

I. McK. PITTENGER,
Chairman.

The resolution offered by the Committee was adopted.

On motion of the Rev. F. J. Murdoch, D.D., the ratio of assessment for the ensuing year was declared to be 13½ per cent.

Mr. J. Cameron Buxton presented the report of the Special Committee on the report of the Managers of the Thompson Orphanage, as follows:

The Committee to whom was referred the Report of the Board of Managers of the Thompson Orphanage and Training Institution respectfully report:

That having considered the various matters referred to in the report of the Managers and in that of the Superintendent appended thereto, we can not too strongly commend this Institution of the Church to the beneficent consideration of the various Parishes in the Diocese. It is doing a fine work as it is, but the possibilities are even very much greater, were the means at hand to accomplish them.

We were struck with the fact that thirty-two out of a total number of fifty-nine inmates should have had chills and fever. There must be some local cause for such prevalence of malaria, and we would recommend that the Board of Managers inquire into the matter and take steps to remedy this evil, which must sooner or later seriously affect the health of the children.

We refer the recommendations made by the Superintendent as to the restrictions upon the ages of children at the time of admission to the Orphanage to the Board of Managers, as well as the regulations as to the putting out of children into the homes of other people.

The Thompson Orphanage is now one of the recognized institutions of this Church, and appeals to us as almost no other institution of the Church does.

Respectfully submitted.

J. C. BUXTON,
For the Committee.

On motion of the Rev. Dr. Pittenger, the basis of the Assessment for the Episcopal and Contingent Fund was declared to be the stipulated annual salary of the Minister

of the Parish or Mission and the amount of current expenses.

The Rev. A. B. Hunter presented the following report:

The Special Committee to whom was referred so much of the Bishop's Address as relates to the election of Deputies to the General Convention, which is to meet at San Francisco in October next, respectfully offer the following resolution:

Resolved, That a special collection be made in each Parish and Mission prior to September 1 for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the Clerical Deputies from this Diocese to the next General Convention.

A. B. Hunter,
Chas. E. Johnson,
J. C. Buxton,
Committee.

On motion of Mr. R. H. Lewis, M.D., the resolution offered by the Rev. Dr. Murdoch as to the ratio of Assessment was reconsidered.

Mr. Chas. E. Johnson moved that the ratio be 15 per cent, but the motion was not agreed to

Dr. Lewis asked for unanimous consent to act at once upon the repeal of Chapter I, Canon XII, Section iii. Consent was given and the section was, on his motion, repealed.

On motion of Dr. Lewis, the resolution offered by the Special Committee was adopted.

Mr. Wm. L. London moved that a sum not exceeding $150 be appropriated to the payment of the expenses of each Clerical Deputy.

The Rev A. A. Pruden moved to amend by allowing the payment of $200 to each Deputy, beginning with the one having the highest number of votes, as far as the sum received for the special purpose shall admit.

The amendment was not agreed to, and the resolution of Mr. London was adopted.

The Convention proceeded to the election of Deputies to the General Convention. The Bishop appointed Messrs. W. G. Rogers and W. E. Stone to receive the votes of the

Clergy, and the Rev. Messrs. A. B. Hunter and Charles Fetter, those of the laity.

The Tellers having retired, by unanimous consent the business of the Convention proceeded.

The Rev. F. W. Hilliard presented the following Memorial of the late Rev. Jos. W. Murphy, which was, on motion, adopted by a rising vote:

Your Committee, to whom was referred that part of the Bishop's Address which referred to the late Joseph Wiggins Murphy, Priest, beg leave respectfully to report:

The particulars connected with the parentage and earliest years of Mr. Murphy, presented by the Bishop, we do not deem it necessary to recapitulate. As the deceased presents himself to us we find him at the School of the Prophets, established by Bishop Ives, at Valle Crucis. Here appeared something of that clearness of vision and inflexible fidelity to the truth which was peculiarly his. The greater and greater leaning towards Roman teaching, which occurred at Valle Crucis, was clearly seen and carefully guarded against by the young student.

Mr. Murphy soon passed under the direction and care of the Rev. Edward M. Forbes, to whom several students for the ministry, multitudes of lay pupils, loving parishioners, and all the clergy and laity of the old Albemarle Convocation looked up with a genuine affection and reverence, which have been given to few of our Priests.

From Mr. Forbes' care Mr. Murphy passed, not immediately, but very soon, to that pastorate which placed him immediately upon the roll of those absolutely reliable, fearless, consistent, and scrupulously exact men who have most helped, adorned, and crowned with honor in the State of North Carolina, the charge of St. David's Church, Scuppernong, Washington County.

When the war came the young men of Mr. Murphy's parish and neighborhood seem to have entered the army almost *en masse*, and took with them, as of course, their Rector as their Chaplain. Colonel, Adjutant, Surgeon and other officers were from among his people. During his service in the army his work was like all his work, absolutely faithful, and involved him in many trials and dangers.

After a few years' rectorship in Henderson, Mr. Murphy removed to Pennsylvania, but before very long was back in the scenes of his student days—Elizabeth City. There he commended himself, as he had done elsewhere, to the people whom he served, while clergy and laity in the resuscitated Albemarle Convocation gave him a warm and appreciative welcome.

His next charge was a rural parish in Maryland, with a people of so

warm and generous a temper that he would hardly have left them but for a call to a rare old North Carolina Parish like Hillsboro, where also were some of his dear friends from Scuppernong.

His life in Hillsboro is well known to the Church in this Diocese, as that of a loving and self-sacrificing priest, who labored until he could do the required work no longer, and only then left, and having left still worked till quite worn out, and died in harness.

The Committee offer the following resolution:

Resolved, That a page in the Journal be set apart as a memorial of the Rev. Joseph Wiggins Murphy.

FRANCIS W. HILLIARD,
S. PAXSON WATTERS,
WM. L. LONDON,
Committee.

The Bishop read the following reply to the greeting sent by the Convention to the Council of East Carolina:

To the Rt. Rev. JOSEPH B. CHESHIRE, D.D.

The Council of East Carolina, and St. Paul's Parish, Edenton, cordially reciprocate the loving greetings of North Carolina.

ALFRED A. WATSON,
FREDERICK N. SKINNER,
ROBERT B. DRANE.

On motion of the Rev. Robert B. Owens, it was

Resolved, That the next session of the Convention of the Diocese shall be held (D. V.) in St. Stephen's Church, Oxford, on Wednesday, June 11, 1902.

On motion of Mr. Chas. E. Johnson, the Treasurer was authorized to pay the travelling expenses of the Clergy canonically resident in the Diocese and in attendance at the Convention, but not entitled to seats in the same.

The Tellers of the vote for Deputies to the General Convention appeared and announced the election of Deputies as follows: The Rev. M. M. Marshall, D.D., the Rev. Francis J. Murdoch, D.D., the Rev. Julian E. Ingle, the Rev. I. McK. Pittenger. D.D., Mr. Richard H. Battle, Mr. John Wilkes, Mr. Wm. L. London, and Mr. J. C. Buxton.

The election of Supplementary Deputies being next in order, on motion of Mr. Chas. E. Johnson, the Secretary was instructed to cast the vote of the Convention for the four persons in each Order who had received the next highest number of votes, and this being done, the following persons were declared elected: The Rev. E. A. Osborne, the Rev. Wm. H. Meade, D.D., the Rev. Edward W. Gamble, and the Rev. Francis W. Hilliard; Mr. Paul B. Means, Mr. S. S. Nash, Mr. R. H. Lewis, M.D., and Mr. J. C. MacRae.

The Convention then adjourned.

After Evening Prayer at 8 o'clock, Mr. John W. Wood, Corresponding Secretary of the Board of Missions, made an interesting address upon the General Missionary Work of the Church. The Bishop then announced that he would receive the Special Offering for which he had asked in connection with the enrolment made of all baptized persons in the Church in the Diocese. The offering was received by the Deacons and presented by the Bishop, who will apply the proceeds to work within the Diocese.

THIRD DAY.

St. Philip's Church, Durham,
Friday, May 24, 1901.

Morning Prayer was said at 9 o'clock by the Rev. F. W. Hilliard and the Rev. Thos. Lee Trott.

The Bishop then took the chair, and called the Convention to order. The minutes of yesterday were then read and approved.

The Rev. M. M. Marshall, D.D., presented the following report:

The Special Committee to whom was referred that portion of the Bishop's Address relating to the death of the Reverend William S. Pettigrew, beg leave to report as follows:

William Shepard Pettigrew was born in Tyrrell County, North Carolina, October 6, 1818; was ordained Deacon by Bishop Atkinson in St. James' Church, Wilmington, January 31, 1869, and Priest in the same place by the same Prelate on Trinity Sunday, June 12, 1870.

On the 27th of July, 1900, after a ministry of thirty-one and a half years, this venerable and greatly beloved servant of God, at the advanced age of eighty-one years and ten months, was called from labor to rest in the blessed Paradise of the Saints. His body rests under the shadow of the Church of the Good Shepherd, Ridgeway, where he last lived and lovingly labored; but his works do follow him, and his influence for good abides and will abide to the end.

Mr. Pettigrew, in every fiber of his being, was the high-toned, cultured gentleman of the old school; but more, he was the pure, godly, devout, self-sacrificing minister of the Gospel who never lost sight of his holy calling, and never spared himself in the discharge of its duties.

It is safe to say that no clergyman ever labored in our midst who more fully deserved or enjoyed the respect and affection of all sorts and conditions of men. In lowliness and meekness he was content to dwell among his own people, disdaining all worldly ambitions and emoluments, zealous in all good works, following ever in the footsteps of that Master who though in the world was not of it.

In the language of that tender and appreciative tribute of the Bishop of the Diocese, to which this Convention has listened, "His gracious presence is seen no more among us; his eloquent voice speaks no more from the pulpit: his venerable head bows no more in devout supplication for his people. * * * He has gone before, along that path to which he so faithfully pointed us. He knew the way; he had learned it from Him who is the Way, the Truth and the Life. He had comforted and encouraged many in that way, and he was himself sustained and lightened by the Divine presence and blessing."

"*There be some that have left a name behind them, that their praises might be reported.* * * * *Their bodies are buried in peace, but their name liveth forevermore.*"

The Committee offer the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Secretary be instructed to set apart a page in the Journal *in memoriam* of our departed brother.

M. M. Marshall,
Julian E. Ingle,
John Wilkes,
Committee.

On motion of the Rev. F. J. Murdoch, D.D., the memorial presented by the Committee, with appended resolution, was adopted by a rising vote.

The Rev. E. A. Osborne presented the following

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CANONS.

The Committee on Canons, to whom was referred a resolution offered by the Rev. Dr. Marshall, relating to an amendment of Chapter I, Canon XIV, and certain portions of the Bishop's Address, referring to the work of Diocesan Missions, respectfully report that having considered the same, they recommend the adoption of the following resolutions:

Resolved, That Chapter I, Canon XIV, Section 1, be repealed, and that the section shall hereafter read as follows: It shall be the duty of every Clergyman in the Diocese to take an annual offering from every congregation served by him, for each of the objects named below upon the day named in connection therewith, or upon some other Sunday in the same month, viz:

Domestic and Foreign Missions.....First Sunday in January.
Diocesan Education Fund.....First Sunday in March.
Theological Department at Sewanee.....First Sunday in May.
Diocesan Relief Fund .....First Sunday in July.
American Church Building Fund.....First Sunday in October.

The omission of one or more of these offerings shall not be deemed a violation of duty in the case of congregations where there is not at least a monthly Sunday service.

Every congregation of this Diocese shall make an offering on Thanksgiving Day for the Thompson Orphanage and Training Institution.

Resolved, That Chapter II, Canons I and II, be repealed, and that the following Canons be enacted in place of the same, viz:

CANON I.

SECTION 1. The Missionary Work of the Diocese shall be administered in three Missionary Convocations, to be known as the Convocation of Raleigh, for work among the white people in the Eastern part of the Diocese; the Convocation of Charlotte, for work among the white people in the Western part of the Diocese; and the Convocation of the Colored People, for work among the colored people of the whole Diocese: each Convocation to be under the charge of its own Archdeacon. The dividing line between the Convocations of Raleigh and Charlotte shall be fixed by the Bishop.

SEC. 2. There shall be a meeting of each Convocation at least once in each year at such time and place as shall be appointed by the Bishop, or by the Convocation at the next preceding meeting, and such meeting or meetings shall be attended by the Clergy residing or officiating, and by the Treasurers of all Parishes and Missions situated, within the

limits of the Convocation. The Bishop, or in his absence, the Archdeacon, shall preside at all meetings of the Convocation.

SEC. 3. Each Convocation shall have power to appoint all necessary officers, to prescribe their duties, to require from all its members reports of the work in which they are engaged, to raise funds for Missionary Work, under the direction of the Bishop and the Archdeacon, and to take such action, not inconsistent with the Canons of the Diocese, as in the judgment of its members may be deemed expedient for the prosecution of Missionary Work within its limits.

CANON II.

SECTION 1. The ministers and officers of all Missions and of all Parishes supported wholly or in part by appropriations of Missionary Funds, whether Diocesan or General, shall make quarterly reports to the Archdeacons of their respective Convocations as to their work and the contributions of such Missions and Parishes, in such form as the Bishop may prescribe.

SEC. 2. The Treasurer of each Mission and of each Parish whose minister receives a missionary stipend, shall report to the Archdeacon of his Convocation by the first day of May in each year the amount subscribed by such Mission or Parish for the salary of the minister thereof and for Diocesan Missions for the current year; and when the amounts so subscribed by any congregation shall appear inadequate, or when no report has been made, the Archdeacon may, either in person or by deputy, make a canvass of such congregation for subscriptions for these two objects.

Resolved, That Chapter I, Canon VIII, Section 1, Paragraph 1, be amended so as to read, after the words *Executive Missionary Committee*, as follows: To consist of four Clergymen and five laymen, the Convocations of Raleigh and Charlotte to be represented each in both orders; five members (of whom the Bishop may be one) constituting a quorum for the transaction of business.

Resolved, That all Canons or parts of Canons inconsistent with these provisions are hereby repealed.

E. A. OSBORNE,
For the Committee.

On motion of the Rev. E. A. Osborne, the first resolution was adopted.

The Rev. Mr. Osborne offered the second resolution.

Mr. John Wilkes moved to refer the resolution to the Committee for further consideration, but the motion did not prevail.

The second resolution was adopted.

The third and fourth resolutions were then, on motion of the Rev. Mr. Osborne, adopted.

The Rev. F. W. Hilliard offered the following

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CANONS.

The Committee on Canons, to whom was referred a proposed amendment of Chapter III, Canon VIII, beg leave respectfully to report and to recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved. That Chapter III, Canon VIII, be amended by the addition of the following Section:

SECTION 4. Every Mission station not within the bounds of a Parish, shall pay all money for its Missionary to the Treasurer of the Diocese monthly, and said Treasurer shall pay quarterly to each such Missionary all such funds, together with the stipend appropriated by the Missionary Committee.

Mr. Chas. E. Johnson moved to amend by a provision for the appointment of a special Treasurer in each Convocation.

On motion of Mr. Wm. L. London, the resolution was referred to the Committee on Canons with instructions to report to the next Annual Convention.

The Rev. Dr. Pittenger presented the following report:

The Special Committee to whom was referred the report of the Trustees of St. Mary's School, submit the following report:

We are moved, first of all, to express the gratification with which the Convention, as well as all the friends and patrons of St. Mary's, have heard of the great success which has thus far attended the efforts of the Trustees to secure to the Church in the future this most valuable institution of learning.

The recent rapid and sudden growth, while imposing upon the Trustees a difficult and urgent problem, affords at the same time a most favorable and tangible evidence of success.

As to the questions which concern the internal management of the School, in view of the character of the work done and the evident success of the present administration, we feel that these can safely be entrusted in the future to the same hands which have so safely guided the course of the institution thus far.

While the friends of St. Mary's may be somewhat surprised and disappointed to learn that so small an amount has been paid upon the debt of the Corporation within the past year, yet we feel that the

emergency that was thrust upon the management by the suddenly increased demands of the School, called for extraordinary measures, and we are not surprised that the Trustees felt themselves in the circumstances justified in providing for these demands in the manner indicated in their report.

We can most heartily commend the institution and the efforts of those who are engaged in the work of establishing it upon a permanent basis that will place its future beyond any possibility of doubt. and the work of those to whom have been entrusted the administration of its internal affairs, to the continued confidence and support of the people of the Carolinas.

The Committee will venture to suggest to the Trustees the propriety of recovering to the purchase fund as rapidly as possible all profits that may be derived from the increased facilities supplied to the School by the expenditure of the funds employed by them for that purpose.

The Committee would further suggest the advisability of employing a financial agent who shall continue the work of securing the means of cancelling the indebtedness which still rests upon the Corporation.

And we urge upon the Church people of the Carolinas the necessity of giving their money as liberally as possible for the consummation of this most important and desirable end.

I. McK. Pittenger,
Chairman.

On motion of the Rev. Dr. Pittenger, the report was adopted.

The Rev. S. Paxson Watters presented the following

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE STATE OF THE CHURCH.

The Committee on the State of the Church labor under the old difficulty of not having full returns from all the Parishes and Missions. a number not having presented any report. It is impossible for your Committee to make an accurate report unless they have data from which to compile and present to the Convention. The attention of the Clergy is called to this omission, and an earnest appeal is made to them to be more prompt in sending in their Parochial Reports in order that the Committee in its report may more accurately show the true condition of the Church. The value of any statistical report depends entirely on its accurately giving all the information reasonably demanded. During the past Convention year there is much that the Church in this Diocese has to be thankful for. The devoted labors of our energetic Bishop have been supplemented by his faithful Clergy and loyal laity. We have the right to take courage and look forward to the time when the growth shall be commensurate with the blessings which the Church

brings to all conditions of men. We note an increase in offerings for all Church purposes of $7,376. Increase in insurance carried $6,500. Decrease of indebtedness $4,621. Increase of baptized persons reported in the Diocese 1,026. We think this increase has come from the enrollment called for by the Bishop's Twentieth Century Appeal.

Increase in the number of families. 52. Increase in Parish School Scholars, 231. Increase in Industrial School Scholars, 70.

The report from all the institutions under the fostering care of the Church is encouraging.

There is no work that appeals more to her members than that of St. Mary's School. The report of the Trustees gives evidence of a wise and prudent administration, and an upward and onward movement in all directions. Through the energetic work of the Rev. Mr. Pruden. Financial Agent, a large sum of money has been raised and pledged, mainly to be applied to liquidating the debt created by the purchase of the property. As the school of the Carolina Dioceses. entrenched in the affections of the people, we may feel assured that in the near future its bright and hopeful prospects will be a source of joy and pride to all Carolinians. Next perhaps to *St. Mary's*, the *Thompson Orphanage* appeals to the sympathy and charity of our people. The report of the Board of Managers and that of the Superintendent present an encouraging outlook for the Orphanage. We note with pleasure the commencement of an endowment fund of over two thousand dollars, and we trust that in a reasonable time the Orphanage may be endowed with generous gifts, and become a greater blessing to the Church and its orphan children.

We commend the zeal and earnestness of the Superintendent, and trust that his devotion may be rewarded by an ever-increasing interest in his good work on the part of our people. The Church should, if possible. render some assistance to the Superintendent in editing the *Messenger of Hope*. its official organ. It is too much to suppose that the Superintendent has time from other duties to devote to the editing of the paper. An editor who could devote more time is needed to make the paper what the Superintendent and the Church desire it should be, not only the official organ, but the exponent of Church thought in the Diocese. We commend this matter most earnestly to the attention of the Convention.

From St. Augustine the work is all of progress. The pupils are not only taught in the scholastic departments of the School, but are being trained as skilled workmen in the mechanical departments, and the girls are taught cooking and sewing. Throughout the entire course the conservative influence of the Church Service is brought to bear upon the student. The whole aim of St. Augustine's is to render its pupils useful men and women in their life-work, that their influence may count for good with the colored race. The Church can not neglect

its duty in the uplifting of these people, and not suffer from the neglect. We commend the faithful work being done at St. Augustine's School to the generosity of those who are blessed with wealth.

The reports from St. Peter's Hospital, Charlotte, and that of the Good Samaritan for colored people show increasing good done for humanity. We commend these noble charities: we are glad to note they are being cared for and sustained.

The Woman's Auxiliary has done a good work the past year. No words can adequately convey the help and assistance, religious and financial, given to the Church by the Woman's Auxiliary. These devoted women are the silver lining to the clouds that at times darken the fair work of the Church.

The Junior Auxiliary reports are most encouraging, and it is gratifying to note that the children of the Church are being trained to become effective missionary workers in the extension of the Kingdom of Christ.

And last and most important, the missionary work of the Church in the Diocese demands attention. Are our Convocations able to do the work that calls for immediate attention? Do we not need some more active and closer touch with the people in our missionary field? Your Committee urgently place the importance of the missionary work of the Diocese before you, and urge most earnestly that some more effective method may be found and applied for the purpose of carrying the Church into the missionary fields of the Diocese. We need a revival of interest, more enthusiasm, and a deeper sense of duty, and a more generous support to this the imperative work of the Church.

The interesting reports of the Archdeacons in charge of the missionary work, submitted to the Convention and referred to your Committee, give evidence of faithful service done, growth in the missionary field, and the necessity, if we are to take advantage of our opportunities, of some action to enable this work to be carried forward as it should be, and thus redound in a greater and higher degree to the glory of God, the extension of His Kingdom and the good of His people.

Respectfully submitted,

S. Paxson Watters,
Chairman.

On motion of the Rev. Mr. Watters, the report was adopted.

The Rev. Mr. Watters presented the following report:

The Diocesan Association of the Clergymen's Retiring Fund Society has continued its work during the past year with gratifying results. Several new names have been added to the roll of membership, and while two of our annuitants have been removed by death, it is expected

that the membership of five of our members will mature in November next, when they will receive their first annual pension. One of the clerical members of the Society has removed from the Diocese, and two have died, but the number remaining is still twenty-four—about half the whole number of our Clergy.

Contributions during the year from fourteen congregations and sundry individuals, with a small sum for interest on deposits in the Savings Bank, amount to $200.79. The balance, including $36.24 in hand at the close of last report, is $64.35, which will be payable before November 1, for maturing certain memberships.

These sums do not include the dues of five members of the Society which are paid by them directly to the Treasurer, Mr. Elihu Chauncey.

The Association invites the cooperation of the Churchmen and Church women of the Diocese in maintaining, by the annual contributions of sums of any amount, the membership of all the Clergy in the Society, which provides an annual pension for them upon their attainment of sixty years of age

Respectfully submitted,

S. Paxson Watters,
For the Executive Committee.

On motion of Mr. John Wilkes, the Secretary was authorized to have printed the usual number of copies of the Journal of the Convention, and also a new edition of the Canons of the Diocese.

On motion of Mr. R. H. Battle it was

Resolved, That the thanks of the Convention are hereby tendered to the Rector and congregation of St. Philip's Church, and to the citizens of Durham generally, for their generous hospitality in the entertainment of the members of the Convention and of the visitors in attendance on its sessions.

On motion of Mr. Battle the thanks of the Convention were also presented to the Woman's Auxiliary for the kind entertainment provided for the Convention on the second day of the session.

On motion of the Rev. Henry T. Gregory, the Bishop was requested to appoint a committee of five to nominate to the Convention an Executive Missionary Commmittee. The Bishop appointed the following persons: The Rev. W. H. Meade, D.D., the Rev. Walter J. Smith, the Rev. H. T.

Gregory, Mr. R. H. Lewis, M.D. and Mr. E. G. Muse. Elections being in order, Mr. John Wilkes nominated as Trustees of the Boys' School at Salisbury, the Rev. E. A. Osborne, Mr. John L. Henderson and Mr. Gowan Dusenbery.

The Rev. Dr. Murdoch nominated as members of the Education Committee, the Rev. E. A. Osborne, the Rev. S. S. Bost and Mr. Stephen F. Lord.

The Rev. F. W. Hilliard nominated as Delegates to the Missionary Council, the Rev. Dr. Pittenger and Mr. S. S. Nash.

The Rev. Julian E. Ingle nominated as Trustee of the General Theological Seminary, the Rev. Walter J. Smith.

In the absence of other nominations the Secretary was in each case instructed to cast the vote of the Convention, and the persons so nominated were declared elected.

The Rev. W. H. Meade, D.D., presented the report of the Committee appointed to nominate members of the Executive Missionary Committee, naming the Rev. F. J. Murdoch, D.D., the Rev. Walter J. Smith, the Rev. S. S. Bost, the Rev. E. W. Gamble, Mr. John Wilkes, Mr. R. H. Battle, Mr. W. L. London, Mr. T. H. Battle and Mr. W. E. Stone. On motion, the Secretary was instructed to cast the vote of the Convention, and they were declared elected.

There being no further business before the Convention, it was, on motion, resolved that after the reading of the Minutes and the usual concluding devotions, the Convention should stand adjourned *sine die.*

The Minutes were read and approved and the Bishop addressed the Convention. The *Gloria in Excelsis* was sung, the Bishop offered prayer, pronounced the Benediction, and declared the Convention adjourned.

JOS. BLOUNT CHESHIRE,
Bishop of North Carolina.

Attest:

JULIAN E. INGLE,
Secretary of the Convention.

APPENDIX A.

ADDRESS OF THE BISHOP.

Brethren of the Clergy and Laity:

As we met last year in one of our oldest Parishes, so this year we are met in one of our newest. There is a beauty and a value in that which is old, which enshrines and perpetuates memories and sentiments of the past, and inspires us to emulate the virtues and to continue the good works of our fathers. But there is value, and not value only but its proper grace and beauty also, in that which is new, in the hope and faith which push forward to new achievement, and reach after and rise to higher and better things as time goes on. The Church of God is bottomed on the old, but her look is forward, and her mission shall be accomplished only when old things are passed away and all things are become new.

I may be pardoned for a personal allusion in this connection. St. Philip's Church, Durham, is specially dear to me. This was the scene of my first efforts for the extension of the Church. I am most thankful to see in this congregation and among the members of this Convention a few of the faces which welcomed me when I came here a Deacon of a month old, in May, 1878. We had no church here and no congregation. A few faithful souls had looked and longed for the services and ministrations of the Church, and we undertook what seemed a very tremendous task. This church building and this congregation of St. Philip's was the outcome of our labors under the blessing of God. I suppose a man may be permitted to feel a joy in the work which he has been enabled to do. And it is an added joy to realize that the church which was so much too large for the congregation for which it was built, is become so inadequate for the congregation now overcrowding it.

Since our last meeting two of our brethren of the Clergy have been called to rest from their labors. July 27, 1900,

the Rev. William Shepard Pettigrew departed this life in the rectory of the Church of the Good Shepherd, Ridgeway, of which Parish he had been Rector for more than twenty-two years. Mr. Pettigrew bore a name most honorably associated with the history of the Church in North Carolina. His grandfather, the Rev. Charles Pettigrew, having been for a time master of the old Edenton Academy, was, just before the breaking out of the Revolutionary War, ordained to the ministry of the Church by the Bishop of London, the last Clergyman sent by him to this province. After twenty years of faithful service he was elected Bishop of North Carolina by a Convention which met in Tarborough in May, 1794. Though circumstances prevented his consecration, he continued his services until his death in 1807. He left one child, the late Hon. Ebenezer Pettigrew, the father of our deceased brother. Mr. Pettigrew did not enter the ministry until he was in his fifty-first year. At that time he had already lived a life beyond the average length, and had been a man of the first distinction in his section, having served with ability and credit in the Convention of 1861, and enjoying in an uncommon degree the affection and respect of a wide circle of friends. He had been a man of considerable wealth, and enjoyed the deserved reputation of being a conscientious master to his large number of slaves, whom he treated with the utmost humanity, and for whose Christian nurture he was most solicitous. From his youth he was a man of singular purity and elevation of character, and a most devout and consistent Christian. Being unmarried and by the results of the war relieved of the responsibilities and burdens of temporal affairs, he was, by the influence of Bishop Atkinson, led to devote himself to the work of the ministry. In that work he labored faithfully and devotedly until his death. No one who knew him could fail to recognize the noble and beautiful qualities of his personal character, or doubt his absolute devotion to the work of his Master. He was a fine type of much that was best in the life of our country before the changes wrought by the war between the States. He entered the ministry after his character, convictions and habits were too far developed to undergo much change; but there was no more faithful and unsparing laborer than he in the ranks of our Clergy, no more indefatigable preacher, no one who adorned the doctrine of God our Saviour by a life of greater

purity, unselfishness, patience, gentleness and godly sincerity than William Shepard Pettigrew.

October 17, 1900, the Rev. Joseph Wiggins Murphy, since 1892 a resident of Washington City, though still canonically connected with this Diocese, was called from this life to a better. The association of his name with that of Mr. Pettigrew in this notice of their death, reminds us that at one time Mr. Pettigrew was a member of the Parish of St. David's, of which Mr. Murphy was rector. He was a native of Ireland, but came to this country with his father when quite young. His father, Mr. Jeremiah Murphy, was a school teacher, and taught in a number of places in the region of the Catawba and Yadkin rivers. He was one of the most faithful and useful laymen we have ever had. He was chiefly instrumental in the first establishment of the Church in Lincolnton, in Charlotte, in Lexington, and perhaps in other places. Three of his sons received Holy Orders, and all were faithful and useful men. His son Joseph, of whom we now speak, began his preparation for the ministry at the old Valle Crucis Mission. After his ordination he served in various parts of this Diocese until 1870, when he left it, and, except for a short period of service at Elizabeth City, was absent until 1881, when he returned to become rector of St. Matthew's Church, Hillsboro, which he served faithfully and effectively until totally disabled for pastoral work. During the war between the States he served efficiently as a Chaplain in the Confederate army. The Church in North Carolina has no more loyal, loving, faithful, diligent, godly priest and pastor than he was throughout his whole course. The last years of his life were tried by pain, weakness, narrow and uncertain means of support and domestic bereavement. But all trials only showed more plainly in him the reality of Christian faith, patience and love. Whenever physically able it was his joy to minister in the pulpit and at the altar. Just before his death he sent an offering out of his scanty means to our Diocesan Missions, and after his death his daughter, the loving companion of his last years, found among his papers one in which he had carefully noted down all his ministerial acts since May 1, 1900, with a direction endorsed upon it that it was to be sent to the Bishop after his death as his final report. That faithfulness to duty in what some count a little thing, marks the man. He rests in peace, and leaves to his children the priceless heritage of a Good Name.

May 1. *The Feast of St. Philip and St. James:* Annual meeting of the Board of Managers of Thompson Orphanage. In the Chapel of St. Mary the Virgin. I confirmed and addressed eleven children, inmates of the Institution, and administered Holy Communion.

2. In St. Barnabas' Church, Greensboro. Baptized an infant, daughter of the Rector of the Parish.

In the evening of the same day took part in the service at the annual festival of St. Athanasius' Church, Burlington, when a sermon was preached by the Rev Dr. Murdoch, commemorative of the late Rev. William Shipp Bynum.

6. *The Third Sunday after Easter:* In Christ Church, Raleigh, preached and administered the Holy Communion.

In the evening in the Church of the Good Shepherd, Raleigh, preached for the Rector, who was sick, and confirmed one person.

16. The Eighty-Fourth Annual Convention of the Diocese; administered the Holy Communion at the opening service, and presided during the several sessions of the Convention.

17. Administered the Holy Communion in St. Luke's Church, Salisbury, where the Diocesan Convention was in session. At the Annual Meeting of the Diocesan Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary, opened the meeting and made an address.

18. Administered the Holy Communion in the same church, officiated also at the several public services in connection with the Diocesan Convention, as noted in the Journal thereof.

19. Consecrated "St. Mary's Memorial Chapel, Greensboro," assisted by the Rev. Messrs. Miller, Meade and Bell, and administered the Holy Communion

20. *The Fifth Sunday after Easter:* Consecrated St Andrew's Church, Greensboro, being assisted by Rev. Messrs. Bell, Pruden, Jones, and by Dr. Meade, who preached the sermon, and the Rector, Rev. James D. Miller, who assisted me in the administration of the Holy Communion.

24. *Holy Thursday.* In Christ Church, Raleigh, administered the Holy Communion.

27. *The Sunday after Ascension:* In the same church took part in the services and preached.

The same day said Evening Prayer in the Chapel of St. Mary's School.

29. At noon attended a meeting of the Executive Committee of St. Mary's School, and in the afternoon the annual meeting of the Trustees of St. Augustine's Normal School.

30. Presided at the Commencement of St. Augustine's School; in the afternoon attended the annual meeting of the Trustees of St. Mary's School.

May 31. Presided at the Commencement of St. Mary's School, and conducted the closing service in the chapel, when an address was made by the Rev. Robert W. Barnwell, of South Carolina.

June 3. WHITSUNDAY. Having undertaken to supply the place of the Rector of Christ Church, Raleigh, during the month of June, so far as my official duties should allow, I conducted the proper servies for this day, preached, and administered the Holy Communion. In the afternoon said Evening Prayer in the same church, and in the evening said Evening Prayer and preached in St. Saviour's Chapel.

10. TRINITY SUNDAY. In St. Luke's Church, Salisbury, I ordained to the Diaconate John Linker Saunders, the candidate being presented by the Rev. Dr. Murdoch, and the sermon preached by Archdeacon Osborne. I administered the Holy Communion, assisted by the Rector.

In the evening, in the same church, I preached and confirmed three persons.

16. Attended a meeting of the Executive Committee of St. Mary's School.

17. *The First Sunday after Trinity:* In Christ Church, Raleigh, administered Holy Communion at the early service, at mid-day said the usual service and preached; in the afternoon said Evening Prayer, and in the evening at St. Saviour's Chapel said Evening Prayer and preached.

19. Meeting of Executive Committee of St. Augustine's School.

26. In the Court House at Carthage, Moore County, conducted service, assisted by Archdeacon Osborne, and preached morning and evening; administered the Holy Communion at the former service.

In the afternoon administered the Holy Communion at a private house in the country to an aged and blind communicant of the church, long deprived of its ministrations.

27. Baptized two infants in a private house in Carthage.

July 1. *The Third Sunday after Trinity:* In St. Peter's Church, Charlotte, having undertaken to supply services four Sundays in the absence of the Rector, conducted the usual service, preached, and administered the Holy Communion. In the afternoon said Evening Prayer. In the evening baptized a child at a private house.

8. *The Fourth Sunday after Trinity:* In the same church, administered the Holy Communion at 7.30 o'clock in the morning; conducted the mid-day service and preached; said Evening Prayer at 6 o'clock.

9. In the same church, married a couple.

July 11. In St. Philip's Church, Mocksville, said Evening Prayer.

12. At a visitation to the same church, administered the Holy Communion, preached morning and afternoon, and confirmed one person.

15. *The Fifth Sunday after Trinity:* In the same church, administered the Holy Communion at 7.30 o'clock; said the appointed service and preached at 11, and said Evening Prayer at 6.

22. *The Sixth Sunday after Trinity:* In the same church, had the same three services as last Sunday. After Evening Prayer confirmed two persons.

Aug. 18. Consecrated "The Gallaway Memorial Chapel" at Elkin, assisted by Archdeacon Osborne; preached, and administered the Holy Communion.

19. *The Tenth Sunday after Trinity:* In St. Paul's Church, Winston, the Parish being without a Rector, conducted the appointed services morning and evening; administered the Holy Communion, baptized an infant and preached twice.

25. At Huntsville, after Evening Prayer by Archdeacon Osborne, preached.

26. *The Eleventh Sunday after Trinity:* At the same place conducted service morning and evening, assisted by Archdeacon Osborne, and preached twice.

30. In St. Andrew's Church, Rowan County, attended the celebration of the sixtieth Anniversary of the consecration of the church; administered the Holy Communion, and in the afternoon made an address.

31. In St. Mark's Church, Mecklenburg County, officiated morning and evening and preached.

Sept. 1. In the same church, officiated morning and evening and preached.

2. *The Twelfth Sunday after Trinity:* In the same church, confirmed one person; preached, and administered the Holy Communion.

7. Meeting of the Executive Committee of St. Mary's School.

9. *The Thirteenth Sunday after Trinity:* Church of the Good Shepherd, Ridgeway. Said the appointed service, preached and administered the Holy Communion.

In the evening in Christ Church, Raleigh, confirmed one person.

13. Meeting of Executive Committee St. Augustine's School, and meeting of Executive Missionary Committee.

15. In St. John's Church, Battleboro, held service and preached morning and evening.

Sept. 16. *The Fourteenth Sunday after Trinity:* In the same church, service and sermon morning and evening; Holy Communion at former service.

17. In same church, service morning and evening; preached once.

18. In same church, service morning and evening; preached once, baptized and confirmed one person.

20. Opened "Grace School" at Lawrence, Edgecombe County. In the evening officiated at St. Mary's Chapel, same County.

25. In Raleigh confirmed a sick person in private.

Oct. 6. Church of the Heavenly Rest, Middleburg; preached, and administered the Holy Communion.

7. *The Seventeenth Sunday after Trinity:* St. John's Church, Williamsboro; said the appointed service; preached a sermon commemorative of the life and character of the Rev. William S. Pettigrew, for thirty years Rector of that Parish, and administered the Holy Communion.

10. In St. Augustine's Chapel, Raleigh, administered the Holy Communion at the opening of the "Conference of Church Workers Among the Colored People," and delivered an Allocution to the Clerical members of the Conference.

11. All Souls' Church, Ansonville. Preached.

12. Calvary Church, Wadesboro. Preached.

14. *The Eighteenth Sunday after Trinity:* Consecrated "The Church of the Messiah," Rockingham, assisted by the Rev. Messrs. Fetter, Green, Parkman, and Archdeacon Osborne; preached, and administered the Holy Communion.

In the same church, in the afternoon, confirmed two persons.

16. In St. Peter's Church, Charlotte, pronounced the blessing at a wedding.

17. St. Paul's church, Winston. Preached.

18. *St. Luke's Day:* Christ Church, Walnut Cove. Preached, and administered the Holy Communion.

In the evening preached in St. Philip's Church, Germanton.

19. In the same church, administered the Holy Communion.

21. *The Nineteenth Sunday ofter Trinity:* Consecrated "Trinity Church, Mount Airy," assisted by the Rev. Messrs. Williams and Jones: administered the Holy Communion. Preached in the same church in the evening.

28. *The Twentieth Sunday after Trinity, St. Simon and St. Jude's Day:* St. Paul's Church, Louisburg. Preached, and administered the Holy Communion.

In the evening preached in St. Matthias' Church.

30. St. James's Church, Kittrell. Preached, and administered the Holy Communion.

Oct. 30. In the afternoon at St. Luke's Mission for colored people in Warren County, baptized an infant, preached, and confirmed one person.

31. All Saints' Chapel, Warrenton, for colored people. Preached and confirmed one person.

Nov. 1. *All Saints' Day:* Emmanuel Church, Warrenton. In the morning confirmed one person, and administered the Holy Communion.

In the evening preached, and confirmed three persons

2. St. Alban's Church, Littleton. Preached, and confirmed one person.

4. *The Twenty-first Sunday after Trinity:* St. Luke's Church, Gaston. Said the appointed services, preached, and administered the Holy Commuion.

6. Meeting of Executive Committee of St. Mary's School.

7. Meeting of Executive Committee of St. Augustine's School.

11. *The Twenty-second Sunday after Trinity:* St. John's Church, Williamsboro. Said the proper services; confirmed one person; preached; administered the Holy Communion.

13. St. Peter's Church, Stovall. Preached, and administered the Holy Communion.

15. St. Paul's Church, Goshen, Preached, and administered the Holy Communion.

In the afternoon preached at the Mission Chapel for colored people near Satterwhite.

16. Church of the Good Shepherd, Raleigh. Presided at missionary meetings in the afternoon and evening, at which Bishop Partridge, of Kyoto, spoke.

18. *The Twenty-third Sunday after Trinity:* St. Stephen's Church, Oxford. Confirmed and addressed thirty-two persons; preached; administered the Holy Communion.

In the afternoon preached in the Court House to a small congregation of colored people.

In the evening preached in the Church of the Holy Innocents, Hendersou.

21. In the same Church I officiated in connection with the meeting of the Convocation of Raleigh, made an address, and met the Woman's Auxiliary.

22. St. Athanasius' Church, Burlington. Preached; confirmed and addressed five persons.

23. In a private house at Haw River, confirmed a sick man and his sister, and administered the Holy Communion.

25. *The Sunday next before Advent:* Trinity Church, Statesville. Officiated morning and afternoon; preached; administered the Holy Communion.

Nov. 26. St. James' Church, Iredell County. Confirmed and addressed eight persons, and administered the Holy Communion.

27. St. George's Chapel, Woodleaf. Preached; confirmed one person.

28. Administered the Holy Communion to a sick woman in private.

The same day at Christ Church, Cleveland, confirmed three persons, preached, and administered the Holy Communion.

In the afternoon at St. Matthew's Chapel, Rowan County, preached, and confirmed three persons.

In the evening in St. Luke's Church, Salisbury, preached, and confirmed six persons.

29. *Thanksgiving Day:* In the same Church. Preached, and administered the Holy Communion.

In the evening in St. Paul's Church, Chestnut Hill, preached, confirmed and addressed three persons.

30. *St. Andrew's Day:* St. Jude's Church, Rowan County. Confirmed one person, preached, and administered the Holy Communion.

In the afternoon met with the "Conference of Rowan Churches," and made an address.

In the evening in St. Peter's Church, Salisbury, preached.

Dec. 1. At special service in St. Paul's Church, Chestnut Hill, confirmed one person.

St. Mary's Church, Rowan County. Preached; administered the Holy Communion.

2. *The First Sunday in Advent:* Church of the Redemption, Lexington. Said the proper services; preached; administered the Holy Communion.

5. St. Mary's Church, High Point. Said Evening Prayer and preached.

6. Reidsville, St. Thomas's Church. Preached.

7. St. Cuthbert's Chapel, Proximity, Greensboro. Preached.

9. *The Second Sunday in Advent:* 11 A. M., St. Andrew's Church. Baptized one person of St. Barnabas' Parish; confirmed ten persons from the two parishes of St. Barnabas and St. Andrew's; preached, and administered the Holy Communion.

In the evening preached in St. Barnabas' Church.

16. *The Third Sunday in Advent:* St. Matthew's Church, Hillsboro. Confirmed one person, preached, and administered the Holy Communion.

In the afternoon preached in St. Mary's Church, Orange County.

23. *The Fourth Sunday in Advent:* In a public hall at Cary, said Evening Prayer and preached.

28. *Holy Innocents Day:* Church of the Good Shepherd, Raleigh. Administered the Holy Communion.

Dec. 30. *The Sunday after Christmas:* St. Peter's Church, Charlotte. Said the proper services morning and evening; preached twice, and administered the Holy Communion.

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Jan. 6. *The Epiphany:* St. Peter's Church, Charlotte. Said the proper service in the forenoon; preached; and administered the Holy Communion.

In the afternoon said Evening Prayer, and the Special Litany of Intercession for Missions of the Woman's Auxiliary.

7. Administered the Holy Communion in private to a sick person.

12. In Calvary Church, Tarboro, officiated with the Rector at a funeral.

13. *The First Sunday after the Epiphany:* In the same church, administered the Holy Communion at the early service, and preached at mid-day. In the afternoon in Grace Memorial Chapel, Lawrence, baptized four children and made an address.

20. *The Second Sunday after the Epiphany:* St. Philip's Church, Durham. Confirmed four persons, preached, and administered the Holy Communion. In the evening preached in the Church of the Good Shepherd, Raleigh.

27. *The Third Sunday after the Epiphany:* Church of the Heavenly Rest, Middleburg. Said the appointed service, preached and administered the Holy Communion.

In the evening preached in the Church of the Good Shepherd, Raleigh.

Feb. 13. Church of the Saviour, Jackson. Preached, and confirmed one person.

14. Grace Church, Weldon. Preached; confirmed one person.

15. St. Mark's Church, Halifax. Preached; confirmed one person.

17. *Quinquagesima Sunday:* Trinity Church, Scotland Neck. Confirmed five persons. Preached; administered the Holy Communion.

In the afternoon in Grace Memorial Chapel, Lawrence, preached; confirmed six persons.

18. St. Mary's Chapel, Edgecombe County. Confirmed two persons, preached; administered the Holy Communion.

19. Calvary Church, Tarboro. Preached, confirmed and addressed eight persons.

20. *Ash Wednesday:* In same Church, preached; confirmed sick person in private.

In the evening in St. Luke's Church, for colored people, preached; confirmed six persons, and addressed them.

21. St. Mark's Church, Wilson, for colored people, preached.

Feb. 22. St. Timothy's Church, Wilson. Preached.

24. *The First Sunday in Lent. St. Matthias' Day:* Church of the Good Shepherd, Rocky Mount. Confirmed and addressed eighteen persons; preached; administered the Holy Communion.

In the evening in St. John's Church, Battleboro, preached; confirmed three persons.

25. Church of the Advent, Enfield. Preached.

27. St. Clement's Church, Ringwood. Preached; administered the Holy Communion.

In the evening in the Mission Chapel for colored people in Littleton, preached; confirmed three persons.

Mar. 3. *The Second Sunday in Lent:* Christ Church, Raleigh. Preached; administered the Holy Communion.

In the evening in St. Saviour's Chapel, preached.

4. In Christ Church, Raleigh, said Evening Prayer.

7. In the same Church, preached.

10. *The Third Sunday in Lent:* Calvary Church, Wadesboro. Said the proper services morning and afternoon; administered the Holy Communion, and preached twice.

11. All Souls' Church, Ansonville. Preached.

13. At Albemarle, Stanly County, officiated morning and afternoon; baptized an adult; confirmed two persons; preached, and administered the Holy Communion.

15. St. Timothy's Church, Euto. Said the Litany; confirmed one person; preached; administered the Holy Communion.

In the evening in St Paul's Church, Monroe, took part in the service.

17. *The Fourth Sunday in Lent:* In the same church, officiated morning and afternoon; administered the Holy Communion; preached twice.

21. Christ Church, Raleigh. Preached.

24. *The Fifth Sunday in Lent:* In Christ Church, Raleigh, confirmed and addressed fifteen persons; administered the Holy Communion.

In the afternoon in the Chapel of St. Augustine's School, confirmed and addressed six persons.

In the evening at the Church of the Good Shepherd, Raleigh, presided at a missionary meeting; said Litany of Intercession for Missions for the Woman's Auxiliary.

25. *The Feast of the Annunciation:* Holy Innocents' Church, Henderson. Officiated at a funeral.

27. St. Ambrose Church, Raleigh. Preached; confirmed and addressed five persons.

28. Christ Church, Raleigh. Preached.

Mar. 31. *Palm Sunday:* Chapel of St. Mary's School. Confirmed and addressed fourteen girls, pupils of the School; preached; administered the Holy Communion.

In the evening in the Church of the Good Shepherd. Raleigh, preached; confirmed and addressed eighteen persons.

April 1. *The Monday before Easter:* In the same church, preached.

2. *Tuesday before Easter:* In the same church, preached.

3. *Wednesday before Easter:* In the same church, preached.

In the evening in St. Saviour's Chapel, preached: confirmed two persons.

4. *Thursday before Easter:* In the Church of the Good Shepherd, Raleigh, preached.

In the evening preached in Christ Church.

5. GOOD FRIDAY: Church of the Good Shepherd. Raleigh. Preached.

In the evening in the Chapel of the Cross, Chapel Hill, preached: confirmed three peasons.

7. EASTER DAY: In the same Church, preached and administered the Holy Communion.

In the afternoon in a hall in West Durham, made an address.

In the evening in St. Philip's Church, Durham, preached; confirmed five persons.

9. Meeting of Executive Committee of St. Mary's School.

10. St. Bartholomew's Church. Pittsboro. Confirmed one person; preached; administered the Holy Communion.

In the evening in St. James's Church for colored people, said Evening Prayer and preached.

11. St. Thomas' Church. Sanford. Preached; confirmed one person.

12. Emmanuel Church, Southern Pines. Preached.

13. At Morgan's Factory near Laurel Hill, said Evening Prayer; preached; confirmed one person.

14. *The First Sunday after Easter:* St. Peter's Church, Charlotte. Confirmed and addressed twenty persons; preached; administered the Holy Communion.

4 p. m., in the Church of St. Michael and All Angels for colored people, confirmed and addressed fifteen persons; immediately after this service confirmed a sick member of this Parish in private.

18. St. Paul's Church, Winston. Preached: confirmed and addressed seven persons.

19. Church of the Messiah, Mayodan. Said Evening Prayer; preached.

20. St. John's Church, Madison. Said the proper service; confirmed one person; preached; administered the Holy Communion.

Apr. 21. *The Second Sunday after Easter:* Church of the Epiphany, Leaksville. In the forenoon preached and administered the Holy Communion.

In the evening preached; confirmed and addressed three persons.

22. Christ Church, Milton. Preached; confirmed two persons.

26. Annual Meeting of Managers of the Thompson Orphanage.

In Chapel of St. Mary the Virgin confirmed and addressed five children; administered the Holy Communion.

27. St. Mark's Church, Mecklenburg County. Preached; administered the Holy Communion.

28. *The Third Sunday after Easter:* St. Peter's Church, Charlotte. Said the service for the day; preached; administered the Holy Communion.

In the afternoon in St. Andrew's Memorial Chapel, Charlotte, preached; confirmed three persons.

In the evening in All Saints' Church, Concord, preached.

Without the limits of the Diocese I have during the same period officiated five times, preached once, delivered three addresses and baptized one infant. I was absent from the Diocese from July 23d to August 17th, during the first ten days in attendance upon the annual Commencement and meeting of the Board of Trustees of the University of the South, at Sewanee, and the last two weeks enjoying the delightful recreation of a brief trip through the mountains of Mitchell, Watauga and Ashe counties, revisiting the scenes of former missionary experiences, and renewing the friendships of those days. September 27th I was in Lincolnton for a few hours on important business for St. Mary's School, and October 1st and 2d in Wilmington on still more important matters of the School. January 15th and 16th were occupied in a trip to Washington City attending a meeting of the Commission on Work Among the Colored People; and from February 4th to February 12th I was absent for the purpose of attending a protracted session of the Joint Commission on Amendments to the Canons of the General Convention.

The total of my services and ministrations during the year is as follows: Services, 219; sermons, 142; addresses, 26; administrations of the Holy Communion, 77; confirmations, 294; baptisms, 12; marriages, 1; funerals, 2; churches consecrated, 5. These were all within the Diocese; and to them should be added those services mentioned above performed during my absence in other Dioceses.

During the year I have made a more thorough and complete visitation of the Diocese than I had ever been able to accomplish before. I visited every Parish and organized Mission in the Diocese without a single exception. Many of them I visited more than once. In some twenty-five churches and chapels I officiated from twice to six or eight times. Every unorganized Mission or point where we have a church building or regular services I visited at least once, with the exception of Cuningham's Chapel; St. Mark's Chapel, Gulf; Moncure; Noise; St. John's, Salisbury; Smithfield, Tillery, and the Chapel of the colored Mission at Statesville. Of these we really have no congregation and maintain no services at Gulf and Moncure. I was providentially hindered from keeping appointments which I had made for Tillery, Cuningham's and the colored chapel at Statesville; and there seemed no special occasion for visiting the remaining ones in view of the more urgent demand for services at other points which seemed more important. The list of services at the beginning of the Address will also show that I held services in a number of places not included in the list of our Parishes and Missions. The most important of these places are Huntsville, Yadkin County, and the town of Albemarle, in both of which we have a number of faithful people, for whom I am hoping in the near future to make some regular provision, and who are ready to co-operate to the utmost of their power in the permanent establishment of the ministrations of the Church in those places. It may also be mentioned that new chapels have been built—one at Cooleemee Factory, in Davie County, and one in the northern part of Rowan County, chiefly by the efforts of the Rev. Dr. Murdoch.

May 27, 1900, upon the petition of a number of persons residing in the vicinity of a post-office called Euto, in Union County, I organized the Mission of *"St. Timothy's Church, Euto,"* with John S. Smith, Warden; Davidson Nance, Treasurer; and John Lemuel Smith, Clerk.

November 9, 1900, upon the petition of the members of the Mission heretofore known as the "Chapel of the Holy Cross, Littleton," I reorganized that congregation under the name of *"St. Alban's Church, Littleton,"* appointing as officers thereof Woodson L. Powell, Warden; Alexander Weddell Fetter, Treasurer; and Littleberry Vinson, Clerk.

Our losses from the ranks of the Clergy have been greater during the past year than for any previous year during my

Episcopate. Besides the two already mentioned, taken to their rest after long and faithful service, I have transferred by letters dismissory the following:

The Rev. William Walker, Priest, June 2, to Vermont.
The Rev. Charles L. Hoffman, Priest, September 1, to Mississippi.
The Rev. Henry C. Parkman, Priest, December 1, to Easton.
The Rev. Henry Hobart Barber, Priest, February 7, to Pittsburgh.
The Rev. Frank Cecil Bayliss, Priest, February 28, to Bath and Wells, England.
The Rev. Horace Weeks Jones, Priest, April 15, to Alabama.
The Rev. James Daniel Miller, Priest, April 30, to Nebraska.
The Rev. William B. Perry, Deacon, October 1, to Virginia.

We have gained the following:

The Rev. John Linker Saunders, Deacon, June 10, by Ordination.
The Rev. Alban Greaves, Priest, June 1, from East Carolina.
The Rev. Harris Mallinckrodt, Priest, December 1, from Maryland.
The Rev. Francis Joyner, Priest, April 1, from East Carolina.
The Rev. Sanders Richardson Guignard, Priest, April 15, from South Carolina.

Our numbers, therefore, stood May 1st, 1900, five less than last year, namely: One Bishop, thirty-six Priests, and eight Deacons; forty-five in all. Since May 1st I have received and accepted letters dismissory from the Bishop of Florida in favor of the Rev. Clarence Croft Leman, who has accepted the rectorship of St. Peter's Church, Charlotte, and has entered upon his duties. I am also informed that the Rev. George Meredith Tolson, of Hertford, East Carolina, has accepted a call to the rectorship of Calvary Church, Wadesboro, to take effect July 1st.

The candidates for Priest's Orders are: the Rev. Royal G. Shannonhouse, Deacon; Thaddeus Ainsley Cheatham, Francis Moore Osborne and Richard Louis Bame.

The Postulants are: Oliver Stancill, Homer Leach Hoover, William Edward Callender, James Hollis Crosby, Hugh Preston Eanes and William Eanes.

The fields of labor of the Clergy remain as at our last meeting, with the following changes:

As announced at the last Convention, the Rev. Edwin A. Osborne was by the Bishop appointed Archdeacon of the Diocese, and as such has been most laborious and zealous in

his work under my direction, performing also the duties of Secretary of the Executive Missionary Committee.

The Rev. John Linker Saunders, ordained Deacon Trinity Sunday last, has been serving in St. Matthews' and St. Judes' Churches in Rowan County under the Rev. Dr. Murdoch.

The Rev. Harris Mallinckrodt became rector of St. Paul's Church, Winston, upon his transfer to this Diocese.

The Rev. Francis Joyner resides at Littleton, and has under his charge St. Alban's Church, Littleton, and also the churches at Ridgeway and at Middleburg, and St. Luke's, Gaston.

The Rev. Sanders Richardson Guignard is rector of St. Andrews' Church, Greensboro, and has charge of the Memorial Chapel of St. Mary's, Greensboro.

The Rev. Thomas Bell in April last removed from Wilson, having resigned the rectorship of St. Timothy's Church, and has become rector of St. Barnabas' Church, Greensboro, having charge also of St. Cuthbert's Chapel, Proximity.

The Rev. Alban Greaves is rector of St. Paul's Church, Louisburg, and of St. James' Church, Kittrell, and is serving most faithfully and acceptably in both places.

In July last the Rev. Gaston Battle, Deacon, gave up the charge of St. John's Church, Battleboro, and since that time has not been officiating. St. John's Church, Battleboro, I placed temporarily under the charge of the Rev. Charles Fetter, of Rocky Mount.

In February last I removed the Rev. Edward P. Green from the charge of All Souls' Church, Ansonville.

I have directed the Rev. Royal G. Shannonhouse, Deacon, to take charge of the work at St. Mark's Church, Mecklenburg County, under the direction of Archdeacon Osborne, in place of St. Philip's Church, Mocksville, beginning May 1st, 1901. St. Philip's, Mocksville, remains at present unprovided for.

It is in my heart to pay a deserved tribute of praise to the faithful and beloved brethren who, after laboring for years among us have, for one cause and another, felt that duty called them elsewhere. Of the eight whom we have lost by removal, every one was a man of real worth and of solid value in the work of the ministry. If I do not speak more particularly it is only because the number makes it impracticable for me to speak adequately of all of them; and should I particularize the excellence of one or two, I fear my personal affec-

tion might give an appearance of partial judgment which I would not willingly be guilty of. I will only say that, taken as a whole or taken severally, they are a great loss to us and a great gain to those parts of the Church which now enjoy the benefit of their faithful services.

But, while regretting the absence of those brethren whom we had come to value and love in the past, I say with equal truth and sincerity that at this moment the work of the Church in North Carolina is in a condition which I seemed hardly able to hope for a few months ago, when I was confronted with such a list of removals. Already most of the vacancies have been filled, and so filled as to give assurance that the work will go on without diminution of faith and zeal, And we have good reason to hope that the few remaining places now unoccupied will soon be suitably supplied with able and godly ministers. I believe there are not many Dioceses where the ranks of the laborers have fewer vacancies, or where a more sincere confidence and affection exists between pastors and people. For this I feel most devoutly thankful and pray God that it may long continue to be true of our Clergy and people.

While on this subject it may not be amiss to add a few words in regard to the part which the Bishop should have in the appointment of ministers to vacant churches. As I understand the Canons, all work outside the limits of Parishes in union with the Convention, is under the Bishop, who has the sole right of appointing and removing the Clergy as he shall judge best for the interests of the Church. Where a Parish is organized under our Canons and admitted into union with the Convention, the right of choosing a rector is in the Vestry of the Parish and the Bishop has no voice whatever in choosing the minister or in continuing or terminating his rectorship, except the power of refusing, for sufficient reasons, to accept letters dismissory from another Diocese, or of proceeding judicially against a minister for breach of the Canons or of his ordination vows. These two cases are plain, and there is no difficulty in understanding either case.

It often happens, however, that a Parish with the power of electing its own rector, is unable to bear the burden of his support, and must depend upon being assisted therein by an appropriation from our Diocesan Missionary Funds, or by having one or more Mission congregations put under the charge of the rector, in order that the contributions of these

congregations may supplement the salary paid by the Parish. In this case I venture to think that the Vestry should be willing to be advised by the Bishop, and should not feel that they can properly proceed to the choice of a rector for themselves until an understanding has been reached and the Bishop has agreed upon the man to be elected.

ST. MARY'S SCHOOL.

In taking a view of the general affairs of the Diocese we naturally begin with its institutions. Of these the first in importance, and that which we have had especially upon our minds for the last few years, is St Mary's School. We of the Diocese of North Carolina took up the burden of responsibility alone in 1897. Now we have the happiness of seeing all the Bishops in the Carolinas with the Clergy and Conventions joined with us in the work. The year just passed has for those in charge of the School been a year of labor and of anxiety, but also a year of much growth, progress and bright promise for the future. As President of the Board of Trustees, I have the duty of laying before this Convention the Annual Report required by our charter to be made to the Conventions associated in its government. I will not at this time, therefore, go into the details of the School's affairs. But looking at the subject from the standpoint of our Diocesan interests, I wish in the first place to congratulate you upon the very marked degree of success which has attended our labors in this line. The debt of $50,000, which many thought too great a burden for us to undertake, has been reduced to $27,000, with something over $10,000 in notes and subscriptions on hand toward its further reduction; while not much less than $10,000 has been spent in adding to the permanent value of the property and in increasing its usefulness for the purposes of the School; and while the number of boarding pupils has increased about threefold. This is most gratifying and encouraging and confirms the faith of its friends in the future of this noble School. But at the same time this success—and it is a very great and unquestionable success—this very success brings us face to face with the necessity of doing very much more than we have yet done. We started out to pay off the debt; we must keep on until that end has been attained. But we must do more. We must enlarge our facilities for carrying on and for developing the School. At this moment it is

a very serious question how we are to accommodate the pupils who will apply for admission next September. We have every reason to anticipate a material increase in the number of applicants. We must provide for them. Not only so, but these greater numbers and the higher aims which we have set before us for the development of the School demand increased facilities for instruction in every direction. We could with advantage spend ten, fifteen, twenty thousand dollars at this very time in adding to our facilities for doing the great work which we have undertaken. May God put it into the hearts of some of our good people to come forward and provide the means of making this School all that it has the opportunity of becoming. And among other things St. Mary's needs an endowment. It is the hope of the Trustees to keep the charges at St. Mary's down to such a sum that as large a proportion of our people as possible may enjoy its benefits, but even so, there are many cases continually appealing to them, where they ought to be able to afford special opportunities to poor and worthy girls. To this end we must have scholarships endowed. A faithful layman of Raleigh has lately provided in his will that some years hence such a scholarship may be founded, in addition to the two already established by this Diocese and the one by East Carolina. May his good example encourage others to do the like!

THE THOMPSON ORPHANAGE.

Under the Rev. Walter J. Smith, Superintendent, this institution continues its beneficent work. Thirty children from this Diocese, sixteen from East Carolina, and thirteen from Asheville, make up the total of fifty-nine inmates reported to the Board of Managers at its annual meeting last month. These children are well cared for, well taught, and in the main promise to become good and useful men and women. It is now fourteen years since it was opened, and it is gratifying to learn that, tested by its fruits, it justifies the efforts which have been made for its establishment and continuance. Some who have been trained there have disappointed the hopes of their friends, but in a very large proportion of cases the lives and characters of those sent out from its walls have been and are such as to reflect honor upon this institution. One most pleasing feature of the work is that all our North Carolina Churchmen are united in its support and

management. Children from East Carolina and from Asheville are among its inmates, the Clergy and laity both unite with members of this Diocese in the management, and Churchmen from all parts of the State respond most promptly and cordially to all demands for help. A small beginning has been made towards an endowment, and the rapid growth and development of the city of Charlotte promises in the near future to add very greatly to the value of the property.

The Report of the Treasurer of the Diocese, which is in the hands of the members of the Convention, is on the whole most gratifying. The two chief funds show an unexpectedly large income. While fully appreciating the advantage of this state of things, it is not my purpose to dwell upon this part of the report. Rather I call your attention to those funds which do not make so favorable a showing. Our Canons require the Clergy of the Diocese to take annual offerings in the churches for the Diocesan Relief Fund, for the Diocesan Education Fund and for the American Church Building Fund Commission. There are in addition to these one or two offerings recommended to the Clergy by standing resolutions of the Convention. The reports of the Treasurer for some years past disclose the fact that very few of the Clergy take up these offerings, and those who do obey the Canon seem to have very little success in interesting their people in these objects of their bounty. Now in the first place I wish to say to my brethren of the Clergy that I am in urgent need of their help in the matter of these very funds, and especially I commend to their interest the Education Fund. During the past year I have had to make personal solicitations in different parts of the Diocese in order to raise the money I was obliged to have to help several deserving young men who are preparing for the ministry. I am willing to do this in an emergency, but I am sure you do not wish to reduce me to the necessity of doing this every year. And should any case of necessity arise for relieving the necessities of our old Clergy, the amount contributed annually to the Relief Fund is entirely inadequate to give any effectual help even in a single case of a superannuated Clergyman. I most earnestly ask their attention to this matter.

But to the Convention I would suggest the propriety of considering the whole question of these Canonical offerings and other offerings recommended by the Convention to the Clergy, and the appointment of a particular Sunday for each, so that

the recurrence of the appointed day might remind Priest and people alike of the object for which the Church that day asks their offerings. I would further most earnestly impress upon both Clergy and people the absolute importance of being regular and methodical in the collection and remittance of all their dues to the Church.

One thing more in this connection. Our General Convention meets in San Francisco the first Wednesday in October next. Most important matters are to come before it, and this Diocese should be ably represented, as it usually has been, in the great councils of the Church. Our Canons provide that the Treasurer shall pay the necessary expenses of the Clerical delegates attending the General Convention. Formerly the Canons directed a fixed sum to be paid to each Clerical Deputy. I suggest for the consideration of the Convention in the present case whether the Diocese is prepared to undertake the expense of four Clerical Deputies attending a two or three weeks' session of the General Convention at San Francisco. We are allowed to send not more than four Deputies. We may elect, if we please, only two, or one, or we may change the Canon and provide that a specified sum be paid each Clerical Deputy towards his expenses. I make no recommendation. I simply bring the matter before this Convention that it may receive due consideration.

DIOCESAN MISSIONS.

The offerings for this object during the year have not been so large as we had hoped, but they have met our expenditures and have paid off a considerable part of the balance of indebtedness brought over from the year before. I think we may say the offerings have been reasonably satisfactory. There is, however, a feeling pretty general among us that we are not doing all the work which should be done. The appointment of an Archdeacon has proved a stimulus to the work of Diocesan Missions, so far as the Archdeacon has been able to cover the ground. But he has been almost wholly confined to the Western half of the Diocese. In that quarter his work has been most effective. I have found him a great help, and I believe that his work for the coming year is likely to be still more valuable. This has suggested the possible advantage of appointing another Archdeacon for the Eastern half of the Diocese, and reorganizing our Missionary work under three

Archdeacons instead of having four Convocations as heretofore. We have already an Archdeacon over the Colored work. All the work of Missions among white people being put under two Archdeacons might serve to bring the whole into a more effective condition. The Convocations are admittedly failures as Missionary agencies. The proposition will be made in this Convention, I am informed, to organize the Missionary work of the Diocese under three Archdeacons, as above indicated, and to put the duty and responsibility of attending to it upon the several Archdeaconries under the direction of the Bishop and the respective Archdeacons. I give no opinion on the point, but refer it to the consideration of the Convention. The plan has some features which commend it.

THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY AND LAY AGENCIES.

I must mention, if only briefly, the work of the Woman's Auxiliary, the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, and the Daughters of the King. The Brotherhood of St. Andrew is here to speak for itself—so is the Woman's Auxiliary. Not the least interesting or important features of our annual Conventions are the meetings and proceedings of these two valuable organizations of lay workers. It was thought at one time that an annual meeting of the Daughters of the King might also be held in connection with the Diocesan Convention. This, however, has proved to be impracticable. There is not time for so much in the three days of Convention. I have recently been in conference with the Diocesan Secretary of this Society, and suggested to her that it might be advisable to arrange an annual meeting of all the Chapters in North Carolina and in East Carolina together some day early in June, meeting in some convenient town, one year in this Diocese and the next in East Carolina. This proposition is now under consideration, and its adoption may prove a stimulus and encouragement to the faithful women engaged in this good work.

To the women of the Auxiliary I can only say what I have so often said before—that their assistance has become so very effective in the missionary work that no Bishop can now understand how the Church ever could have gotten on without it. I hope always to find a branch in every Parish and Mission of the Diocese. At the present time the most important matter before them is the "United Offering" to be made at the General Convention next October. I trust that our

Diocesan Branch may be well represented both by the attendance of delegates and the generous offering which they shall make toward the work of our Missionary Bishops during the next three years.

THE TWENTIETH CENTURY ENROLMENT AND OFFERING FOR DIOCESAN MISSIONS.

In Epiphany season last I sent out to all the Clergy of the Diocese a request that they would send me at their earliest convenience complete lists of all the baptized members of the Church within their several cures, or attached to their congregations, in order that I might make a record for preservation among the archives of the Diocese of all members of the Church in this Diocese this opening year of the Twentieth Century. Such a list, if measurably full and accurate, will increase in interest and value as the years go by. Since the Canons require every Clergyman to keep such a list of his people, it should not be a very difficult or tedious matter to make a general list of the whole Diocese. And besides the future interest and value of such a record, to which I have alluded, I felt that there would be even a greater present utility in the very process of making out the local lists, and then combining them in a Diocesan list, by emphasizing both to the Clergy and the people the *personal, individual* relationship and responsibility involved in the work of the ministry for the people. Clergy and people have responded to this appeal in a manner which has convinced me that the thought of making this record was not an idle one. Indeed, I am satisfied that something of this kind was needed. The very difficulty in so many cases of securing the lists asked for revealed the fact that in most cases no accurate list of parishioners are kept by the Clergy. In the distractions of practical pastoral and missionary work the details of keeping accurate records involve more labor and difficulty than one would suppose before having tried it. But from all Parishes and Missions, with the single exception of a small congregation without a minister, I did finally secure lists more or less complete. Most of the Clergy responded most cordially and helpfully to my appeal; and I have now entered into the Register which I had made for the purpose, over 8,000 names of baptized members of the Church in the Diocese of North Carolina. But may I beg my brethren of the Clergy, and the laity as well,

for their further co-operation in the completion and perfecting of these lists? Many of the Parish lists are confessedly incomplete. In the nature of the case many inaccuracies must exist in them. May I not hope that during the rest of the year they will keep their lists of parishioners in mind, and from time to time make such additions and corrections as may serve to bring them nearer to completeness and accuracy? I may seem to some persons over particular about little things in thus dwelling upon this matter of lists of people's names; but I can not forget that our blessed Master, whom we are to represent so far as we can in the care of His work, says, THE GOOD SHEPHERD "CALLETH HIS OWN SHEEP BY NAME."

For each person of all these eight thousand and over whose name had been sent me, I sent to the minister of the Parish or Mission a card enclosed in a directed envelope, requesting a special offering for the work of the Church in this Diocese this opening year of a new century. These offerings are to be brought up to this Convention by the Clergy, and presented at a special service appointed for that purpose. I now appoint for that offering the evening service Thursday, May 23d, when we are to be addressed upon the general subject of Missions by a representative of our Board of Managers of Domestic and Foreign Missions. This offering is a special offering, not to be considered as in any way interfering with our regular offerings, and to be administered by the Bishop through the Archdeacons, as in his judgment the interests of the work may demand. This has been my idea and purpose, but I should like to have an expression of the judgment of the Convention upon the best method of employing and disbursing such sums as may be received.

In speaking of our Diocesan Missions we should not forget our obligations to the general Domestic and Foreign Missionary work of the Church under the direction of our Board of Managers in New York. It shall be my purpose to encourage each Parish and congregation to give regularly to this general work. Our Sunday Schools give to it their Easter offerings; our Woman's Auxiliary contributes systematically; but each congregation, as a congregation, should give at the very least one offering each year to its treasury.

I call your attention also to the duty of all Churchmen with respect to the General Clergy Relief Fund. Some years ago the General Convention suggested that throughout the United States a tithe of the Communion Alms should be given

to this Fund. The suggestion seems to me most eminently proper. I could wish that all of our Clergy might adopt it, as I know that some have been in the habit of doing.

And now, brethren, a startling calamity which has fallen upon a large community of our brethren reminds us that we should look not on our own things merely, but also on the things of others. I need not tell you the story of the fire at Jacksonville, Florida. The particulars of that appalling event are fresh in your memory. We can not be insensible to such suffering. Shall we not do something to give practical expression to our sympathy? Some of our churches have already exerted themselves in this matter. Can not the influence of this Convention be exerted to produce a general action throughout the Diocese for the purpose of doing something in aid of our suffering brethren?

In concluding this over-long address, I feel obliged to say that I feel greatly encouraged when I survey the condition of affairs in the Diocese at large. We have still difficulties and weaknesses—but unity of action and self-denying faith will enable us to meet the demands which God's work makes upon us. Let me ask both Clergy and people to remember that the unit of Church life is the Diocese, The first thing to be looked to is that we do our duty to that. Local necessities will not let themselves be neglected. Let us all stand together in the strength of mutual sympathy and co-operation, stimulating and developing the life and power of the body, and that life and power will come back with ever-increasing strength and effectiveness in the members.

Jos. Blount Cheshire,
Bishop of North Carolina.

APPENDIX B.

PAROCHIAL, MISSIONARY AND OTHER REPORTS.

Ansonville, All Souls' Church; the Rev EDWARD P. GREEN, late Minister in Charge.

Families 12. Baptized persons 57. Communicants 19. Sunday-school teachers 5; scholars 42. Public services: on Sundays 27. Holy Communion 6.

Chu ch sittings 150.

Value of church $1.500: other church property $500—total $2.000.

Receipts—Communion alms $21.19 Other offerings at church services $2.73. Sunday-school offerings $13.80. Other sources $180—total $217.72.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's salary $200 Thompson Orphanage $5.37.

General: General Missions $6.77. Sewanee $5. Clergy Retiring Fund $12. Miscellaneous $192.15—total $215 92. *Aggregate* $421 29.

In addition to the above I have held services as follows: At Hancock 7, Euto 1, Norwood 11, Albemarle 12. At Albemarle there are 13 baptized persons, 3 communicants. 1 adult has been baptized and 1 confirmed. At Norwood I baptized 1 infant. The attendance at all places except Albemarl . was large. At Norwood there is no building suitable for public services. In February I wi hdrew from the work in this Mission.

Battleboro, St. John's Church; the Rev. CHARLES FETTER, Minister in Charge.

Families 14. Baptized persons 54. Baptisms: adult 3. Confirmed 4. Communicants: last reported 20; present number 26. Sunday-school teachers 4; scholars 12. Other Parish Agencies: Church Aid Society. Public services: on Sundays 5: other days 10. Holy Communion 1.

Church sittings 200.

Value of church $1,750; other church property $500—total $2,250.

Receipts—Offerings at church services $10.

Disbursements—Parochial: Current expenses $10.

I have not held regular but occasional services at this Mission. This report is not full.

Bristow, St. Mark's Church; the Rev. EDWIN A. OSBORNE, Minister in Charge.

Families 16. Baptized persons 105. Baptisms: infants 4. Confirmed 1. Communicants: last reported 49; admitted 4; received 4. Present number—white 52; colored 1. Sunday-school teachers 6: scholars—white 36; colored 1. Parish school teachers 1; scholars 36. Other Parish Agencies: Auxiliaries; Brotherhood of St. Andrew. Public services: on Sundays 11; other days 7. Holy Communion 10.

Church sittings 200.

Value of church $2,500; school-house $500; rectory $750—total $3,750.

Receipts—Communion alms $8.83; Sunday-school offerings $3.84; Parish societies $14.64; other sources $121.23—total $148.54.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's salary $99.25; current expenses 56 cents; miscellaneous $10.69—total $110.50.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $17.10; Diocesan Missions $9.77; Thompson Orphanage $4.31—total $31.18.

General: General Missions $4.09; General Clergy Relief $1; American Church Building Fund $1.53—total $6.62. *Aggregate* $148.30.

Burlington, St. Athanasius' Church; the Rev. LOUIS G. WOOD, Rector-elect.

Families 29. Baptized persons 159. Baptisms: infants 3; adults 4—total 7. Confirmed 7. Communicants: last reported 85; admitted 7; died 2; removed 4—present number 86. Burials 5. Sunday-school teachers 4; scholars 28. Parish school teachers 1; scholars 25. Public services: on Sundays 164; other days, three times a week. Holy Communion: all Sundays, Holy Days and twice on Easter and Christmas.

Church sittings 200.

Value of church $1,400; rectory $2,000; other church property $2,200 total $5,600. Insurance $2,400. Episcopal and Contingent Fund $67.14.

Receipts—Communion alms $16.24; other offerings $120.55; Sunday-school Lenten offering $11.69—total $148.48.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms $13.68. Ministers' salary $605.57. Current expenses $73.71. Improvements $30.61—total $723.57.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $67.13. Diocesan Missions $26.60—total $93.73.

General: General Missions $11.69. *Aggregate* $828.99.

On January 31, 1901, the Rev. H. Hobart Barber, for five years Rector of the Parish, resigned his charge. Since then occasional services have been held. The report is as full and accurate as it can be made in the circumstances.

Chapel Hill, Chapel of the Cross; the Rev. WILLIAM H. MEADE, D.D., Rector.

Families 22. Baptized persons 63. Confirmed 4. Communicants: last reported 43. Admitted 1; received 4; died 4; removed 4; present number 40. Marriages 2; Burials 4; Sunday-school teachers 3; scholars 12. Other Parish Agencies: Parish Guild; Auxiliaries; Brotherhood of St. Andrew; St. Mary's Guild. Public services: on Sundays 101; other days 62. Holy Communion 14.

Value of church $5,000: rectory $1,500—total $6,500. Insurance $500.

Receipts—Communion Alms $77.41. Other offerings at church services $100.30. Sunday-school offerings$12.17. Parish societies $243.03. Other sources $488—total $920.91.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms $26. Minister's salary $400. Current expenses $124.55. Improvements $89.67—total $640.22.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $52.75. Diocesan Missions $56.79. Thompson Orphanage $50.16—total $159.70.

General: General Missions $23.39. Domestic Missions $15.02. Foreign Missions $1. Jewish Missions $7.55. Clergy Retiring Fund $12—total $58.96. *Aggregate* $858.88.

The persons confirmed, with one exception, are students of the University and not reckoned among communicants of the Parish.

The above Financial Exhibit does not include the receipts of St. Mary's Guild and the Brotherhood of St. Andrew.

Charlotte, Memorial Chapel of St. Andrew; the Rev. E. A. OSBORNE, Archdeacon.

Families 5. Baptized persons 22. Baptisms: infant 4; adult 1—total 5. Confirmed 3. Communicants: last reported 11; admitted 3; received 1: present number 15. Sunday-school teachers 1; scholars 30. Public services: on Sundays 30.

Chapel sittings 100.

Value of Church $1,300.

Receipts—Communion alms $1.50. Other offerings $13.23—total $14.73.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $2.50. Diocesan Missions $12.23—total $14.73.

Charlotte, Memorial Chapel of St. Mary the Virgin; the Rev. WALTER J. SMITH, Chaplain.

Baptized persons 69. Baptisms: infant 4. Confirmed 11. Communicants: last reported 29; admitted 6; restored 2: removed 4; suspended 2; present number 31. Parish school teachers 2: scholars 53. Other Parish Agencies: Daughters of the King; Junior Auxiliary; Christian

Workers. Public services: on Sundays 77; other days 223. Holy Communion 25.

Chapel sittings 200.

Value of Chapel $2,300. Insurance $2,250.

Receipts—Communion alms $2.79. Other offerings at church services $43.53. Sunday-school offerings $25.58. Junior Auxiliary $15.00. Daughters of the King $4 45. Other sources $32.98—total $124.33.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms $4.15. Miscellaneous $1.45—total $5.60.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $5 00. Diocesan Missions $17.74. Education Fund $2.46. Relief Fund 94 cents. Thompson Orphanage $5 83. Convocation $6.50. St. Mary's School $5.80. St. Augustine's School $3.09—total $47.36.

General: General Missions $25.58. Domestic Missions $2.49. Foreign Missions $3. Jewish Missions $1.44. Sewanee $2.07. St. Paul's School, Beaufort, $2.91. Clergy Retiring Fund 88 cents. Widows and Orphans Fund $1.29. Jacksonville sufferers $8.60. American Church Building Fund 61 cents. Deaf mutes 65 cents. Holy Trinity Orphanage, Japan, $2.06. Galveston sufferers $11.14. Indian famine sufferers $5.13. Miscellaneous $2.12—total $69.97. *Aggregate* $122.93.

Services other than the above have been as follows: In Charlotte, St. Martin's Chapel 4; St. Andrew's 1; St. Michael and All Angels 1, besides assisting once at the Chapel of Hope, and on various occasions at St. Peter's; also baptized one infant in St. Peter's Parish. Attended the meeting of the Council of East Carolina where I assisted at one service and made two addresses. In Trinity Parish, Scotland Neck, I took part in two burial services.

Charlotte, Church of St. Michael and All Angels (colored); the Rev. P. P. ALSTON, Minister in Charge.

Families 19. Baptized persons 161. Baptisms: infant 4, adult 3, total—7. Confirmed 16. Communicants; last reported 82: admitted 16; died 4: removed 3; present number 91 Marriages 1. Burials 7. Sunday-school teachers 9; scholars 125. Parish school teachers 3; scholars 124. Industrial school teachers 2; scholars 80. Other Parish Agencies: Woman's Auxiliary; Altar Guild; Brotherhood of St. Andrew. Public services: on Sundays 84; other days 120. Holy Communion: public 14, private 2.

Church sittings 375.

Value of church $6,000; other church property $1,250—total $7,250. Insurance $5,000.

Receipts—Communion alms $4. Other offerings at church services $232.12. Sunday-school offerings $30. Woman's Auxiliary, $11. Altar Guild $8.50. Other sources $118.18—total $403.80.

Disbursements—Porochial: Alms $4. Minister's salary $120. Current expenses $65. Improvements $168.43. Miscellaneous $5.63—total $363.06.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $11.21. Diocesan Missions $5.53. Good Samaritan Hospital $3—total $19.74.

General: General Missions $10. Colored Missions $10. American Church Building Fund $1—total $21. *Aggregate* $403.80.

I am pleased to say that Training and Industrial School work has been carried on this session with much success. The work done in the Cooking and Sewing Departments by our girls has been very satisfactory indeed. We are in good hopes of having our new Industrial building up by next session, and shall then be able to do more work and better work.

Charlotte, St. Peter's Church; the Rev. CLARENCE C. LEMAN, Rector-elect.

Families 166. Baptized persons 726. Baptisms: infant 23; adult 3—total 26. Confirmed 22. Communicants; last reported 311; admitted 22; received 26; present number 359. Marriages 3. Burials 3. Sunday-school teachers 26; scholars 254. Other Parish Agencies: St. Peter's Hospital, 12 nurses; Good Samaritan Hospital, 2 nurses; Woman's Auxiliary; Daughters of the King; Thompson Orphanage Guild; Woman's Guild; St. Agnes' Guild; St. Andrew's Brotherhood. Public services: on Sundays 95; other days 150. Holy Communion: public 60; private 22.

Church sittings 550; chapel sittings 250.

Value of church $26,000; chapel $2,000—total $28,000. Insurance $11,000. Indebtedness: on property $2,100; other indebtedness $910.

Receipts—Communion alms $17.35. Other offerings at church services $3,314.47. Sunday-school offerings $120.82. Parish societies $960.17. Other sources $150—total $4,562.81.

Disbursements—Parochial: Parish Missions $125.36. Minister's salary $917. Current expenses $736.90. Improvements $159. Miscellaneous $1,018.86—total $2,957.12.

Diocesan—Episcopal and Contingent Fund $500 20, Diocesan Missions $150.90. Thompson Orphanage $465.31. Convocation $25. Miscellaneous $315.90—total $1,457.31.

General: General Missions $78.50. Domestic Missions $25.12. Foreign Missions $37.71. Jewish Missions $7.05—total $148.38. *Aggregate* $4,562.81.

Owing to the resignation of Rev. C. L. Hoffman, September 1, 1900, and his absence, an accurate report of services on Sundays and other days, also of Communions, public and private, can not be given: the numbers stated are approximately correct. From September 1st to

February 1st services were regularly held by the Bishop, visiting clergy, or the lay reader, Mr. B A. Southerland. On February 1st, 1901, Rev. G. C. F. Bratenahl, of the Diocese of Washington, took temporary charge until April 16th, and rendered acceptable and valuable services. Rev. Clarence C. Leman, of the Diocese of Florida, has accepted the invitation of the Vestry to become Rector, and takes charge on May 1st, 1901.

Chestnut Hill, St. Paul's Church; the Rev. F. J. MURDOCH, Rector; the Rev. S. J. M. BROWN, Assistant Minister.

Baptized persons 59. Baptisms: infant 6; adult 1—total 7. Confirmed 4. Communicants: last reported 40; admitted 4; died 1; present number 43. Parish school teachers 4; scholars 40. Public services: every Sunday. Holy Communion 12.

Church sittings 150.

Value of church $1,500.

Receipts—Offerings at church services $12.56. Sunday-school offerings $2.62. Subscriptions $60.95—total $76.13.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's salary $50.95. Current expenses $3.03—total $53.98.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $2.34. Diocesan Missions $4.79. Relief Fund $1.03. Thompson Orphanage 86 cents—total $9.02.

General: General Missions $2.63. American Church Building Fund 53 cents. Prayer Book Society $10—total $13.16. *Aggregate* $76.16.

Concord, All Saints' Church; the Rev. J. C. DAVIS, D.D., Rector.

Baptisms: infant 4. Communicants: last reported 34; received 1; present number 35. Burials 2. Sunday-school teachers 3; scholars 20. Public services: three Sundays in every month; other days, Wednesdays and Holy Days. Holy Communion: first Sunday in every month, and Holy Days.

Value of church $3,000; other church property $700—total $3,700.

Indebtedness: on property $115.40; Minister's salary $64.50.

Receipts—Communion alms $4.00. Other offerings at church services $48.48. Sunday-school offerings $4. Parish societies $3. Other sources $1,073.28—total $1,132.76.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms $4. Minister's salary $433.50. Current expenses $45. Improvements $15. Debt on church property $510.15. Miscellaneous $10—total $1,017.65.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $15. Diocesan Missions $27.33. Thompson Orphanage $12. Convocation $1.50—total $55.83.

General: Clergy Retiring Fund $2.25. Widows and Orphans Fund $2.25. Miscellaneous $7—total $11.50. *Aggregate* $1,084.98.

Cooleemee Mission; the Rev. F. J. MURDOCH, D.D., Minister in Charge.

Baptized persons 3. Baptisms: infant 1; adult 2--total 3.

Value of church and lot $475.

Since January 1 there has been erected at this place a church building which is so far completed that services can be held in it. The Mill Cempany gave the ground and contributed $83 towards the building, which has cost so far $433.93. It is 25 x 72 feet, and is calculated to seat 280 persons. The Rev. Mr. Trott has been keeping up semi-monthly services at Cooleemee for nearly a year. We have in hand subscriptions enough to pay for the seats.

Cuningham's Chapel; the Rev. FREDERICK A. FETTER, Minister in Charge.

Families 3. Baptized persons 16. Communicants: last reported 12; died 1; present number 11. Sunday-school teachers 2; scholars 25. Public services: one on second Sunday of each month. Holy Communion 1.

Chapel sittings 250.

Value of chapel $1,000; endowments $75—total $1,075.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's salary $150.

Diocesan: Diocesan Missions $2. Thompson Orphanage $5—total $7.

General: Jewish Missions $1. *Aggregate* $158.

Durham, St. Philip's Church and Missions; the Rev. SIDNEY S. BOST, Rector.

Families 90. Baptized persons 345. Baptisms: infant 9; adult 1—total 10. Confirmed 9. Communicants: last reported 225; admitted 9; received 4; died 2; withdrawn 1; present number 235. Marriages 2. Burials 3. Sunday-school teachers 17; scholars 340. Other Parish Agencies: Brotherhood of St. Andrew; Auxiliary; Ladies' Aid; St. Philip's Guild; Junior Brotherhood of St. Andrew. Public services: on Sundays 100; other days 138. Holy Communion 34.

Church sittings 250; chapel sittings 200.

Value of church $3,500; chapel $500; rectory $2,000; other church property $1,600—total $7,600. Insurance $4,550.

Receipts—Communion alms $38.57. Other offerings at church services $2,313.27. Sunday-school offerings $50.72. Parish societies $491.77. Other sources $615.56—total $3,509.89.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms $36.65. Parish Missions $472. Minister's salary $1,200. Current expenses $185.50. Improvements $43.10. Miscellaneous $148.89—total $2,086.14.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $159.19. Diocesan Mis-

sions $153.72. Education Fund $5.70. Relief Fund $3.55. Thompson Orphanage $203.66. Miscellaneous $5.40—total $531.22.

General: General Missions $64.51. Domestic Missions $36.08. Foreign Missions $18. Indian Missions $3. Jewish Missions $4.21. Sewanee $5.25. Clergy Retiring Fund $4.15. American Church Building Fund $2.45. Miscellaneous $11.77—total $149.42. *Aggregate* $2,766.78.

We have thought best to embody in the above report the work done in the two Missions at East and West Durham. There are 160 pupils enrolled in the Sunday-school at West Durham; 75 at East Durham; and 105 in the Parish proper. Since the last Convention, we have erected a chapel (St. Andrew's) in East Durham, and the deed to same has been forwarded to the Trustees of the Diocese.

Edgecombe County, St. Mary's Church; the Rev. E. W. GAMBLE, Minister in Charge.

Families 8. Baptized persons 37. Baptisms: adult 1. Confirmed 2. Communicants: last reported 17; admitted 2; present number 10. Sunday-school teachers 2; scholars 15. Public services: on Sundays, monthly. Holy Communion 1.

Church sittings 200.

Value of church $1,000. Minister's salary $50.

Receipts: Offerings at church services $7.

Disbursements—Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $5; Diocesan Missions $3.60—total $8 60.

Elkin, Gallaway Memorial Church; the Rev. J. H WILLIAMS, Minister in Charge.

Baptized persons 9. Communicants 7. Sunday-school teachers 1; scholars 10. Public services: twice each fourth Sunday; other days occasional. Holy Communion: quarterly.

Church sittings 175.

Value of church $1,350.

Receipts: Ladies' Auxiliary $8.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's salary $135 07. Improvements $50. Church bell $125. Vestments $9—total $319.07.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $2.50. Diocesan Missions $9.71—total $12.21. *Aggregate* $331.28.

This church was consecrated by Bishop Cheshire on August 18, 1900. Three earnest communicants from New York have spent the past winter in Elkin, and rendered us valued assistance.

Enfield, Church of the Advent; the Rev. LOUIS HECTOR SCHUBERT, Rector.

Families 11. Baptized persons 35. Communicants: last reported 23; removed 5; present number 21. Burials 1. Sunday-school teachers 2; scholars 10. Other Parish Agencies: Ladies' Guild; Altar Guild. Public services: on Sundays 45; other days 25 Holy Communion 20.

Church sittings 150.

Value of church $1,500. Insurance $1,000.

Receipts—Offerings at church services $460.73. Sunday-school offerings $7.05—total $467.78.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's salary $400. Current expenses $19.15. Improvements $74.85—total $494.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $18.39. Diocesan Missions $3.75. Thompson Orphanage $16.52—total $38.66.

General: General Missions $1. Domestic Missions $3.50. Foreign Missions $3.55. Jewish Missions $1. Clergy Retiring Fund $2—total $11.05. *Aggregate* $543.71.

During the past year the Parish has suffered materially from removals.

The Guild has been very active and zealous. In addition to the regular offering for Thompson Orphanage, it donated a box of clothing and other useful articles, valued at $25, re-shingled the church at the cost of $74.85, insured it, and presented the Rector with an Easter gift.

Euto, St. Timothy's Chapel; the Rev. EDWIN A OSBORNE, Archdeacon, in Charge.

Families 7. Baptized persons 28. Baptisms: infants 2 Confirmed 1. Communicants: last reported 15; admitted 1; received 1: present number 17 Sunday-school teachers 3; scholars 30. Parish school teachers 1; scholars 15. Public services: on Sundays 46; other days 4. Holy Communion 10.

Chapel sittings 75.

Value of chapel $150.

Receipts: Communion Alms $1 72. Other offerings at church services 65 cents. Sunday-school offerings $1.65. Contributions in money, labor and materials $51—total $55 02.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms $1.22. Improvements $50—total $51.22.

Diocesan: Diocesan Missions $1.50.

General: General Missions $2.30. *Aggregate* $55.02.

The Rev. Henry C. Parkman had charge of this work until the first of December, 1900. The Archdeacon has visited the Mission twice since and held four services.

Gaston, St. Luke's Church; the Rev. FRANCIS JOYNER, Minister in Charge.

Families 6. Baptized persons 19 Communicants: last reported 9; present number 13 Sunday-school teachers 4 Public services: on Sundays 2; other days 1. Holy Communion 1.

Church sittings 150.

Value of church $1,000.

I have no records from which to make any further report from this Mission.

Germanton, St. Philip's Church; the Rev. J. H WILLIAMS. Minister in Charge.

Baptized person 22. Baptisms: infant 1. Communicants 15. Public services: Evening of 2d Sunday; other days monthly. Holy Communion quarterly.

Church sittings 200

Value of church $800.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's salary $45.39. Current expenses $5—total $50.39,

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $5.50. Domestic Missions 57 cents—total $6.07.

General: Foreign Missions $1. *Aggregate* $57.46

Goshen, St. Paul's Church; the Rev. FRANCIS W. HILLIARD, Minister in Charge.

Families 6 Baptized persons 18. Communicants 10. Public services: on Sundays 13; other days 2. Holy Communion 6.

Chapel sittings 150.

Value of chapel $500.

Receipts—Offerings at church services $70.64. Other sources $5—total $75 64.

Disbursements—Parochial: Current expenses $64 56.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $4.51. Diocesan Missions $6.57—total $11 08. *Aggregate* $75.64.

Greensboro, St. Andrew's Church; the Rev. SANDERS RICHARDSON GUIGNARD, Rector-elect.

Families 52 Baptized persons 183. Baptisms: adult 1. Confirmed 9. Communicants: last reported 107; admitted 9; received 4: present number 111. Marriages 2. Burial 1. Sunday-school teachers 9; scholars 75. Public services: on Sundays 56; other days 24. Holy Communion 17.

Church sittings 350.

Value of church $4,000; chapel $1,200—total $5,200. Insurance $1,800.

Receipts: Communion alms $10.23. Other offerings at church services $133.35. Sunday-school offerings $31.29. Other sources $385 61—total $560.48.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms $22.15. Minister's salary $304.40. Current expenses $68 80. Improvements $172.48—total $567.83

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $57.71. Diocesan Missions $18.42—total $76.13.

General: General Missions $16.22. Indian Missions $5.64—total $21.86. *Aggregate* $665.82.

This report is in part of services of the Rev. J. D Miller, who resigned the Rectorship of the Parish October 15, 1900, and in part of services of the Rev. S. R. Guignard, who accepted the Rectorship March 1, 1901. This Parish is in a healthy state, out of debt, at unity in itself, and with a large Sunday-school for size of congregation. At St. Mary's Chapel there have been twenty-eight services on Sundays and four on other days, and two celebrations of the Holy Communion.

Greensboro, St. Barnabas' Church; the Rev. THOS. BELL, Rector.

Families 54. Baptized persons 135. Baptisms: infants 4; adult 1—total 5. Confirmed 3. Communicants: last reported 82; admitted 3; died 2; removed 3—present number 80. Marriages 2. Burials 3. Sunday-school teachers 5; scholars 40. Public services: on Sundays 85 Other Parish Agencies: Brotherhood of St. Andrew; Ladies' Aid Society; Auxiliaries.

Church sittings 300.

Value of church $3,200; rectory $3,200; other church property $500—total $6,900. Insurance $3,500. Indebtedness: on property $1,350; other indebtedness $346.45.

Receipts: Offerings at church services $159.15. Sunday-school offerings $10.35. Ladies' Aid Society $65. Other sources $686 52—total $921.02.

Disbursements—Parochial: Ministers' salary $500. Current expenses $60.48. Improvements $243. Debt $65. Miscellaneous $105.15—total $973.63.

Diocesan: Diocesan Missions $5.94. Thompson Orphanage $10.37—total $16.31.

General: General Missions $4.35. Foreign Missions $8.80—total $13.15. *Aggregate* $1,003.09.

The Rev. H. W. Jones was in charge of this Parish until March 24th, 1901; the Rev. Thomas Bell assumed charge April 11th, 1901. During the year the church building has been moved to a new and favorable location, at an expense for moving and repairs of about $1,300.

Halifax, St. Mark's Church; the Rev. LOUIS HECTOR SCHUBERT, Rector.

Families 9. Baptized persons 46. Confirmed 1. Communicants: last reported 25; admitted 1; died 2; present number 23. Sunday-school teachers 2; scholars 10. Other Parish Agencies: Woman's Auxiliary; Altar Guild; St. Mark's Guild. Public services: on Sundays 12: other days 4. Holy Communion 4.

Church sittings 150.

Value of church $1,500.

Receipts—Offerings at church services $37.88. Sunday-school offerings $1.35—total $39.23.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's salary $90.90. Current expenses $8.45—total $99.35.

Diocesan: Diocesan Missions $11.03. Thompson Orphanage $16.44—total $27.47.

General: Domestic Missions 62 cents. Foreign Missions 63 cents—total $1.25. *Aggregate* $128.07.

During the past year the ladies of the Parish raised sufficient money to purchase a new bell. the cost of which was $82.

Henderson, Church of the Holy Innocents; the Rev. JULIAN E. INGLE, Rector.

Families 67. Baptized persons 308. Baptisms: infant 7. Communicants: last reported 150; received 9; died 4; removed 3; present number 152. Burials 9. Sunday-school teachers 11; scholars 78. Public services: on Sundays 141; other days 314. Holy Communion: public 79; private 5.

Church sittings 350.

Value of church $12,800; rectory $3.000; endowments $447.20; other church property $740,43—total $16,987.63. Insurance $9.000. Indebtedness: Minister's salary $62.87; other indebtedness $36.85.

Receipts—Communion Alms $41.40. Offerings at church services $1,090.11. Sunday-school offerings $110.08. Parish societies $200. Other sources $604.46—total $2.046.05.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms $30.08. Minister's salary $1,003.10. Current expenses $248.04. Improvements $12.75. Endowment $84.26. Sunday-school $13.38—total $1,391.61.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $211.84. Diocesan Missions $75.41. Education Fund $2.04. Relief Fund $2.32. Thompson Orphanage $97.16. Convocation $9.50. St. Mary's School $8.40. Miscellaneous $22.75—total $429.42.

General: General Missions $121.43. Domestic Missions $38.33. Foreign Missions, $19. Colored Missions $4. Indian Missions $9. Enrolment Fund $20. Jewish Missions $6, Sewanee $7. Clergy Retiring

Fund $25 47. Widows and Orphans Fund $7.50. American Church Building Fund $5.50. Miscellaneous $32.25—total $295.48. *Aggregate* $2,116.51.

Hillsboro, St. Matthew's Church; the Rev. S. PAXSON WATTERS, Rector.

Families 30. Baptized persons 110. Baptisms: infant 2; adult 3—total 5. Confirmed 1. Communicants: last reported 81; admitted 1; died 1; present number 81. Marriages 3; Burials 8. Sunday-school teachers 4; scholars 20. St. Jude's, Eno Cotton Mill Sunday-school, 50 scholars, 5 teachers. Other Parish Agencies: Auxiliaries; Parish Aid Society. Public services: on Sundays twice; daily during Lent, and on Wednesdays and Fridays throughout the year, and on all Holy Days. Holy Communion: public 18; private 1.

Church sitting 250.

Chapel sittings 70.

Value of church $7,000; chapel $300; rectory $1,200; endowment $1.618.26; other church property $1,000—total $11,118.26. Insurance $2.900.

Receipts—Communion alms $58.92. Other offerings at church services $393.21. Sunday-school offerings $41.88. Parish Societies $40.86. Woman's Auxiliary $109.39. Junior Auxiliary $18.51. Other sources $608.08—total $1,270.85.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms $50.52. Minister's salary $608.08. Current expenses $84.80—total $743.40.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $110.88. Diocesan Missions $72.41. Education Fund $5.66. Thompson Orphanage $80.05—total $269.

General: General Missions $32.52. Domestic Missions $14.18. Foreign Missions $8.80. Jewish Missions $3.67. Sewanee $8.99. Clergy Retiring Fund $23.34. All Saints Hospital I. T. $2—total $93.50. Aggregate $1.105.90.

During my vacation I held services for five Sundays in the Church of the Holy Spirit, Blowing Rock, and officiated one Sunday in St. James' Church, Lenoir.

Iredell County, St. James' Church; the Rev. ROYAL G. SHANNONHOUSE, Minister in Charge.

Families 25. Baptized persons 108. Baptisms: infant 15. Confirmed 8. Communicants: last reported 53; admitted 8; present number 61. Sunday-school teachers 2; scholars 40. Parish school teachers 1; scholars 85. Public services: on Sundays 25; other days 5. Holy Communion: public 2; private 2.

Church sittings 250.

Value of church $500; other church property $300—total $800. Indebtedness: minister's salary $31.30.

Receipts—Offerings at church services $15.37. Sunday-school offerings $1.88. Other sources $179.32—total $196.57.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's salary $43.70. Current expenses $5.21. Improvements $64.70—total $113.61.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $3. Diocesan Missions $5.28—total $8.28.

General: General Missions $1.88. *Aggregate* $123.77.

We have, after painting the Parish school, buying patent desks, and an organ for the church, a cash balance of $67 92 for other improvements during the summer. We hope to remodel the church, paint it, and refurnish the chancel, and then to build a Parish house. These planned improvements are necessary, and the cause is one which should appeal to the whole Diocese. The restoration of this one-time grand old Parish is fairly under way.

Jackson, Church of the Saviour; the Rev. J. TAYLOR CHAMBERS, Rector: the Rev. WILLIAM T. PICARD, Assistant Minister.

Families 21. Confirmed 1. Communicants: last reported 59; admitted 1; received 1; present number 41. Sunday-school teachers 4; scholars 15. Public services: on Sundays 96; other days 67. Holy Communion 19.

Church sittings 240.

Value of church $3,800; other church property $5—total $4.300. Indebtedness on Minister's salary $97.89.

Receipts: Communion Alms $11.53. Other offerings at church services $115.94. Sunday-school offerings $31.72. Parish societies $148.14. Pledges $202.11—total $509.44.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms $11.53. Minister's salary $202.11. Current expenses $36—total $249.64.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent fund $57.78. Diocesan Missions $20.25. Education Fund $2. Relief Fund $2. Thompson Orphanage $21.36—total $103.39.

General: General Missions $27.79. Domestic Missions $4. Foreign Missions $6. Jewish Missions $2. Miscellaneous $30.53—total $70.32. *Aggregate* $423.35.

Kittrell, St. James' Church; the Rev. ALBAN GREAVES, Rector.

Families 14 Baptized persons 54. Communicants: last reported 29; received 1; present number 30. Sunday-school teachers 2; scholars 12. Public services: on Sundays 14; other days 3. Holy Communion: public 11; private 2.

Church sittings 100.

Value of church $1 200; Rectory $700; endowments $3,000—total $4,900.

Receipts: Sunday-school offerings $6.11.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's salary $200. Current expenses $3.25. Improvements $10—total $213 25.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $44.26. Diocesan Missions $12.16—total $56.42.

General: General Missions $6 11. Clergy Retiring Fund $4 71—total $10.82. *Aggregate* $280.49.

Laurel Hill Mission.

Families 9 Baptized persons 34. Confirmed 1. Communicants: last reported 20; admitted 1; received 1; present number 22.

Receipts: $14.40. Other sources $94—total $108.40.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's salary $84.

Diocesan: Diocesan Missions $24 40. *Aggregate* $108.40.

The Rev. H. C Parkman had charge of this Mission until December 1, 1900, after that the Archdeacon visited the congregation twice, held three services, preached and celebrated the Holy Communion twice.

Lawrence, Grace Memorial Chapel; the Rev. E. W. GAMBLE, Minister in Charge

Families 12. Baptized persons 25. Baptisms: infants 2; adults 9—total 11. Confirmed 6. Communicants: last reported 13; admitted 6: present number 11. Marriage 1. Sunday-school teachers 5; scholars 65. Parish school teacher 1; scholars 30 Public services: on Sundays 52; other days 3. Holy Communion 2.

Church sittings 250.

Value of church $1,500. Insurance $1,250.

Receipts: Offerings at church services $83 15. Other sources $3—total $86.15,

Disbursements—Parochial: Ministers' salary $10.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $12 15. Diocesan Missions $60. Thompson Orphanage $11—total $83.15.

General: N. Y. Bible and Prayer Book Society $3. *Aggregate* $96.15.

There is no salary promised, the above contribution was entirely voluntary

Leaksville, Church of the Epiphany; the Rev. FREDERICK A. FETTER, Rector.

Families 12. Baptized persons 62. Baptisms: infant 2. Confirmed 3. Communicants: last reported 32; admitted 3; received 3; removed 5; present number 33. Burial 1. Snnday-school teachers 4; schol-

ars 25. Other Parish Agencies: Auxiliaries. Public services: on Sundays 20. Holy Communion 4.

Church sittings 200.

Value of church $1,000; endowments $600; other church property $225—total $1,825. Insurance $750.

Receipts—Communion Alms $14.35. Other offerings at church services $13.26. Sunday-school offerings $20.53. Parish societies $25.17—total $73.31.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's salary $150. Current expenses $24.24—total $174.24.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $21.48. Diocesan Missions $12.04. Education Fund $4.70. Relief Fund $3.88—total $42.10.

General: General Missions $15. *Aggregate* $231.34.

Lexington, Church of the Redemption; the Rev. J. C. DAVIS, D. D., Minister in charge.

Baptisms: infant 1. Communicants 16. Public services: second Sunday in every month. Holy Communion quarterly.

Church sittings 125. Value of church $800. Other church property $600—total $1,400.

Receipts—Communion Alms $12.32. Other offerings at church services $22.34. Other sources $860—total $894.66.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's salary $260. Current expenses $275. Purchase of lot $600—total $862.75.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $24.44. Diocesan Missions $4.26. Thompson Orphanage $12.32—total $41.02. *Aggregate* $903.77.

Littleton, St. Alban's Church; the Rev. FRANCIS JOYNER, Minister in Charge.

Families 20. Baptized persons 64. Baptisms: infant 1. Communicants: last reported 23; received 14; restored 14; present number 51. Sunday-school teachers 4: scholars 20. Public services: on Sundays 60; other days 15. Holy Communion: public 4; private 3.

Church sittings 200.

Value of church $800; rectory $800—total $1,600.

Indebtedness: on property $250; Minister's salary $8.25.

Receipts—Communion Alms $4.95. Other offerings at church services $56.69. Sunday-school offerings $5.32. Parish societies $72.05. Other sources $64—total $203.01.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms $4.95. Minister's salary $59.75. Current expenses $9.40. Rectory debt $56.57. Miscellaneous $5.32—total $135.99.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $6. Diocesan Missions

$13.69. Education Fund $2. Relief Fund $4.05. Thompson Orphanage $11.33—total $37.07.

General: General Missions $24.63. Philippines $1. Jewish Missions $2.51. Sewanee $1.81—total $29.95. *Aggregate* $203.01.

Littleton Mission (colored); the Rev. J. H. M. POLLARD, Minister in Charge. VIRGIL N. BOND, Lay Reader.

Families 7. Baptized persons 38 Baptisms: infant 1; confirmed 3. Communicants: last reported 13; admitted 3; present number 16. Sunday-school teachers 2; scholars 26. Parish school teachers 2: scholars 58. Industrial school teachers 3; scholars 58. Public services: on Sundays 58; other days 209. Holy Communion 2.

Chapel sittings 150.

Value of chapel $650; other church property $1,350—total $2,000. Insurance $950. Indebtedness: on property $1,000.

Receipts—Offerings at church services $12.26. Sunday-school offerings $2.46. Other sources $76.50—total $91.22.

Disbursements—Parochial: Improvements $76.50. Miscellaneous $5.97 - total $82.47.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $2.50.

General: General Missions $3. American Church Building Fund $1. Galveston $2.25—total $6.25. *Aggregate* $91.22.

The Archdeacon, with the consent of the Bishop, purchased a farm with one dwelling-house, and a large barn, at a cost of $1.000, paying $200 in cash and giving his notes for $800, in payments of $200, with a mortgage on the farm until the notes are cancelled. It is our hope that the Farming and Training School may be a means of stimulation to the people of Halifax and Warren counties, and help them to recognize the fact that labor is honorable. Master George Crummel Pollard gave another year here without pay.

Louisburg, St. Matthias' Chapel (colored); the Rev. J. H M. POLLARD, Minister in Charge

Families 7. Communicants: last reported 32; removed 10; present number 22. Sunday-school teachers 3: scholars 38. Parish school teachers 1; scholars 65. Public services: on Sundays 16. Holy Communion 1.

Chapel sittings 250.

Value of chapel $2,000; other church property $500—total $2,500. Insurance $600.

Receipts—Other offerings at church services $5.18. Sunday-school offerings $2.68. Parish societies $14. Other sources $20—total $41.86.

Disbursements—Parochial: Current expenses $20.18. Improvements $5. Miscellaneous $10.80—total $35.98.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $3.13. Diocesan Missions $1.75—total $4.88.

General: General Missions $1. *Aggregate* $41.86.

There is no competent person to place in charge of the Sunday-school or to represent the Church in the absence of the Missionary.

Louisburg, St. Paul's Church; the Rev. ALBAN GREAVES, Rector.

Families 31. Baptized persons 88. Communicants: last reported 56; received 1; died 3; present number 54. Marriages: white 1; colored 2. Burials: white 2; colored 1. Sunday-school teachers 4; scholars 11. Other Parish Agencies: Woman's Auxiliaries; Parish Aid Society. Public services: on Sundays 56; other days 48. Holy Communion: public 14; private 2.

Value of old church $150; rectory $2,000; lot and new building $3,600—total $5,750. Insurance $3,400.

Receipts—Communion alms $21.28. Other offerings at church services $120.71. Sunday-school offerings $4. Woman's Auxiliary $37; Junior Auxiliary $5; Baby's Auxiliary $9.14. Other sources $41.52—total $238.65.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms $19. Minister's salary $400. Current expenses $53.03. Improvements on rectory $75—total $547.03.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $41.52. Diocesan Missions $17.58 Education Fund $3 11. Relief Fund $6.42. Thompson Orphanage $38.35. Miscellaneous $2.75—total $109 73

General: General Missions $11 52. Domestic Missions $10. Foreign Missions $10 Jewish Missions $1.15. Clergy Retiring Fund $3.07. Galveston $9.25—total $44.99. *Aggregate* $701.75.

A new church, estimated, with furniture, at $3,600, has been completed within the year, almost without any debt on it. It will be ready for use, it is hoped, in June.

Madison, St. John's Church; the Rev. F. A. FETTER, Minister in Charge.

Families 3. Baptized persons 17. Confirmed 1. Communicants 13: admitted 1; removed 1. Sunday-school teachers 3; scholars 10. Other Parish Agencies: Woman's Auxiliary. Public services: two on first Sunday of each month. Holy Communion quarterly.

Church sittings 300.

Value of church $1,200.

Receipts—Offerings at church services $5.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's salary $150.

Diocesan: Diocesan Missions $3.12. Education Fund $2 30 Relief Fund $2 65—total $8.07. *Aggregate* $158 07.

Mayodan, Church of the Messiah; the Rev. FREDERICK A. FETTER, Minister in Charge.

Families 6. Baptized persons 14. Communicants: last reported 9; removed 1; present number 8. Sunday-school teachers 2; scholars 25. Public services: first Sunday night of each month.

Church sittings 200.

Value of church $700.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's salary $60.

Diocesan: Diocesan Missions 80 cents. *Aggregate* $60.80.

Middleburg, Chapel of the Heavenly Rest; the Rev. FRANCIS JOYNER, Minister in Charge.

Families 12. Baptized persons 35. Communicants: last reported 23; received 6; died 1; present number 28. Burial 1. Public services: on Sundays 12; other days 5. Holy Communion 5.

Chapel sittings 100.

Value of church $500.

Receipts—Offerings at church services $16.49. Other sources $20.50—total $36.99.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's salary $20.50.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $4.31. Education Fund 70 cents—total $5.01.

General: General Missions $11.48. *Aggregate* $36.99.

Milton, Christ Church; the Rev. F. A. FETTER, Minister in Charge.

Families 3. Baptized persons 14. Baptisms: adult 4; confirmed 2. Communicants: last reported 7; present number 9. Sunday-school teachers 3; scholars 10. Public services: one on second Sunday night of each month and two on fifth Sundays. Holy Communion on fifth Sundays.

Church sittings 200.

Value of church $1,200. Insurance $1,000.

Receipts—Offerings at church services $6.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's salary $56. Current expenses $6—total $62.

Diocesan: Diocesan Missions $2.31. *Aggregate* $64.31.

Mocksville, St. Philip's Mission; the Rev. ROYAL GRAHAM SHANNONHOUSE, Minister in Charge.

Families 7. Baptized persons 17. Baptisms: adult 1. Confirmed 1. Communicants: last reported 7; admitted 1; received 1; present number 9. Public services: on Sundays 19; other days 6. Holy Communion 1.

Church sittings 150.

Value of church $450.

Receipts—Offerings at church services $11.60. Other sources $57.67—total $69.27.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's salary $51.67. Current expenses $5.45—total $57 12.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $1 80. Diocesan Missions $6.75—total $8 55 *Aggregate* $65.67.

In leaving this Parish, by the Bishop's direction, to take up other work, it seems a good time to offer the suggestion that the Diocese might lend a helping hand there. The Rev. Mr. Williams, at great expense, largely borne by himself, built a very comfortable and neat church building there some years ago It has never been consecrated, chiefly because the interior has not been finished. If the Diocese will contribute towards the fund for completing and furnishing the church, the congregation there will faithfully do its part towards making the church what it ought to be. Address Rev. Thos. Trott, Zeb, N. C.

Monroe, St. Paul's Church; the Rev. EDWIN A. OSBORNE, Minister in Charge.

Families 16. Baptized persons 82. Baptisms: infant 6. Communicants: last reported 44; received 2; died 1; removed 2; present number 43. Burials 1. Sunday-school teachers 5; scholars 30. Other Parish Agencies: Auxiliaries; Brotherhood of St. Andrew. Public services: on Sundays 26. Holy Communion: on Sundays and Holy Days.

Receipts—Communion alms $27.05. Other offerings at church services $58.10. Sunday-school offerings $12.76. Parish societies: Auxiliary $20.11. Subscriptions $185.41. Other sources $14.94—total $318.37.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's salary $185 41. Current expenses $24.94. Improvements $28.66—total $239 01.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $10.50. Diocesan Missions $36.46. Thompson Orphanage $17—total $63.96.

General: General Missions $12.76. Jewish Missions 64 cents—total $13.40. *Aggregate* $316.37.

I have been holding monthly services at Monroe since the removal of the Rev Henry C. Parkman from the Diocese in December last. I append statistics of some other points at which I have officiated.

At Huntsville there are three Church families, 24 baptized persons, 12 communicants. Contributions for Diocesan Missions have been $25 75.

At Mount Mourne and Davidson there are three families, 20 baptized persons, 7 communicants. Two infants have been baptized. Contributions have been: for Diocesan Missions $1; for the Episcopal and Contingent Fund $5. There is no organized work at these places. I have visited the neighborhood once, preached twice, baptized two children, and celebrated the Holy Communion.

Mount Airy, Trinity Church; The Rev. J. H. WILLIAMS, Minister in Charge.

Baptized persons 30. Communicants; present number 24. Marriages 1. Burials 1. Sunday-school teachers 7; scholars 60. Public services: twice on alternate Sundays; other days, occasional. Holy Communion quarterly.

Church sittings 150.

Value of church $2.000. Insurance $1,000.

Receipts—Sunday-school offerings $10.33.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's salary $257. Current expenses $5; choir vestments $23; on church debt $25; excursion for Sunday-school $10—total $320.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $10. Diocesan Missions $9.24. Thompson Orphanage $6—total $25.24.

Aggregate $345.24.

This church was consecrated by Bishop Cheshire on October 21, 1900. Our choir of boys appeared for the first time in their vestments on Thanksgiving Day, and have since rendered valuable assistance in God's holy worship.

Noise, St. Philip's Chapel; the Rev. J. H. M. POLLARD, Minister in Charge.

Families 9. Baptized persons 89. Baptisms: infants 9. Communicants 22. Sunday-school teachers 14. Public services on Sundays 2. Holy Communion 1.

Chapel sittings 200.

Value of chapel $500; rectory $300—total $800.

Receipts—Offerings at church services $165.

Diocesan: Diocesan Missions $1.65.

Three visitations were made to this Mission during the year, but on account of the weather no services could be held on two of them. One, in August, was largely attended and nine children baptized. A good man, with sound judgment and some discretion, could do a great and substantial work here for the upbuilding of the Kingdom, but his life would be one of isolation.

Orange County, St. Mary's Church; the Rev. S. PAXSON WATTERS, Minister in Charge.

Families 12. Baptized persons 60. Baptisms: infant 1. Communicants 23. Other Parish Agency: Junior Auxiliary. Public Services: on Sundays two services each month, except during winter. Holy Communion 1.

Church sittings 100.

Value of church $1,000.

Receipts—Offerings at church services $5.21; Junior Auxiliary $12.55—total $17.76.

Disbursements—Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $1; Diocesan Missions $1; Thompson Orphanage $3.15; Miscellaneous $5.21—total $10.36.

General: General Missions $7.42. *Aggregate* $17.76.

Oxford, St. Stephen's Church; the Rev. ROBT. B. OWENS, Rector.

Families 44. Baptized persons 195. Baptisms: infant 8; adult 4—total 12. Confirmed 32. Communicants: last reported 88; admitted 22; received 2; died 1; removed 1; withdrawn 1; present number 109. Marriages 2. Burials 5. Sunday School teachers 7; scholars 74. Other Parish Agencies: Ladies' Aid Society; Auxiliaries; Junior Brotherhood of St. Andrew; Chancel Guild. Public services: on Sundays 98; other days 105. Holy Communion: public 74; private 1.

Value of church $1,000; rectory $2,500; other church property $9,153 total $12,653. Insurance $6,500. Indebtedness: on property $77; Minister's salary $65.

Receipts—Offerings at church services $1,886.60. Sunday-school offerings $50.38. Ladies' Aid Society and Woman's Auxiliary $630.38. Junior Auxiliary $45.53. Chancel Guild $43.39. Balance from last year $944.92—total $3,601.20.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's salary $715. Current expenses $98.75. New church $2,171.05. Miscellaneous $128.08—total $3.112.88.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $104.09. Diocesan Missions $107.11. Thompson Orphanage $57.17. Convocation $6.12—total $274.49.

General: General Missions $4.22. Domestic Missions $81.70. Foreign Missions $29.01. Indian Missions $1.18. Jewish Missions $3.86. Sewanee $2.63. Clergy Retiring Fund $16.71. Widows and Orphans Fund $1.30. American Church Building Fund $2.39. Famine in India $18.12. General Clergy Relief $5.89. Miscellaneous $4.10—total $171.11. *Aggregate* $3,558.48.

I have held regular monthly services at the Oxford Orphan Asylum, and also at the County Poor-house. Ten of the persons confirmed were cadets from the Horner Military School, with homes in various parts of the State, and were transferred and recorded in their home Parishes. This will account for the seeming discrepancy between the number confirmed and the number added.

Pittsboro, St. Bartholomew's Church; the Rev. CHAS. T. BLAND, Rector.

Families 16. Baptized persons 57. Baptisms: infant 2. Comfirmed 1. Communicants: last reported 35; admitted 1; died 2; present number 34. Burials 2. Sunday-school teachers 2; scholars 7. Public ser-

vices: on Sundays 43; other days 34. Holy Communion: public 14; private 1.

Value of church $1,500; rectory $1,000—total $2,500.

Receipts—Communion alms $32.13. Other sources $437.07—total $469.20.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms $32.13. Minister's salary $255. Current expenses $31.70—total $318.83.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $24.50. Diocesan Missions $54.73. Education Fund $4.35. Thompson Orphanage $15.50. Convocation $2.56—total $101.64.

General: General Missions $24.85. Colored Missions $2.23. Indian Missions $4.50. Jewish Missions $3.55. Sewanee $10.25. Clergy Retiring Fund $3. Widows and Orphans Fund $6.90. American Church Building Fund $3.45—total $58.73.

Aggregate $479.20.

Pittsboro, St. James' Church; the Rev. J. E. King, Minister in Charge.

Families 7. Baptized persons 88. Baptisms: infant 1. Communicants: last reported 30; admitted 1; removed 1; present number 30. Sunday-school teachers 4; scholars 40. Parish school teachers 1; scholars 30. Other Parish Agencies: Woman's Guild. Public services: on Sundays 24; other days 1. Holy Communion 1.

Church sittings 200.

Value of church $1,200; other church property $80—total $1,280.

Insurance $600.

Receipts—Offerings at church services $39.26. Sunday-school offerings $5.85. Parish societies $5.57—total $50.68.

Disbursements—Parochial: Current expenses $34.44.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $5.11.

General: General Missions $5.85. *Aggregate* $45.40.

In January last, I am glad to say, I was able to open our Mission school. We have a comfortable little school building and an able and consecrated teacher in the person of Miss Cornie S. Young. I am afraid, on account of the smallness of the salary, I shall not be able to keep her. If the school should be closed it would be a great drawback to the work at Pittsboro. I go to this Mission once a month.

Raleigh, Christ Church; the Rev. M. M. Marshall, D.D., Rector.

Families 151. Baptized persons 600. Baptisms: infant 18; adult 1—total 19. Confirmed 17. Communicants: last reported 306; admitted 17; received 4; died 7; removed 7; present number 313. Marriages 7. Burials 16. Sunday-school teachers 10; scholars 130. Other Parish Agencies: Woman's Auxiliary; Relief Society; St. Agnes' Guild; St.

Timothy's Guild; St. Andrew's Brotherhood; Daughters of the King; Altar Guild. Public services: twice or thrice on Sundays and other Holy Days; every Wednesday and Friday, and daily and oftener during Lent. Holy Communion: public every Sunday and on all High Festivals; private 4.

Church sittings 600; chapel sittings 175.

Value of church $30,000; chapel $2,500; rectory $10,000—total $42,500. Insurance $10,000.

Receipts—Communion alms $166.08. Other offerings at church services $560. Sunday-school offerings $98.40. Altar Guild $51. Woman's Auxiliary $142.30. Relief Society $112.75. Daughters of the King $13. St. Timothy's Guild $45.50; St. Andrew's Brotherhood $20; St. Agnes' Guild $305. Other sources $2,600—total $4,114.03.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms $272.29. Parish Missions $20. Minister's salary $1,680. Current expenses $428. Improvements $75. Insurance $72. Interest $100. Sunday-school $35. Miscellaneous $6.38—total $2,688.67.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $277.38. Diocesan Missions $439.59. Education Fund $10.36. Thompson Orphanage $446.07—total $1,173.40.

General: Domestic Missions $123.80. Foreign Missions $25.90. Colored Missions $5. Clergy Retiring Fund $46.16. General Clergy Relief Fund $15.24—total $216.10. *Aggregate* $4,078.17.

The debt of $2,400 for several years past reported as existing on the property of the Parish has, in the last few months, been paid in full. This amount is not included in the above report, either among the receipts or disbursements, as it was raised by the sale of a small portion of real estate for which the Parish has no present nor probable future need or use.

The Rector continues to officiate one Sunday afternoon in each month at the Soldiers' Home and at the Central Hospital for the Insane.

Raleigh, Church of the Good Shepherd; the Rev. I. McK. Pittenger, D.D., Rector.

Families 109. Baptized persons 521. Baptisms: infant 6; adult 5—total 11. Confirmed 19. Communicants: last reported 323; admitted 20; received 16; died 3; removed 22; present number 334. Marriages 8. Burials 9. Sunday-school teachers 15; scholars 130 Other Parish Agencies: St. Mary's Guild; Auxiliaries; Brotherhood of St. Andrew; Young Ladies' Guild; Relief Society; Altar Guild. Public services: on Sundays 117; other days 126. Holy Communion 70.

Church sittings 400; chapel sittings 200.

Value of church $21,000; rectory $4,000—total $25,000.

Insurance $4,000.

Receipts—Communion alms $73.11. Other offerings at church services $1,203.02. Sunday-school offerings $183.70. Parish societies $752.47. Subscriptions $2,532.86—total $4,745.16.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms $73.11. Pairsh Missions $24.27. Minister's salary $1,487.88. Current expenses $424,61. Improvements $233.33. Sunday-school $82.93. Payment of debt $618.28. Miscellaneous $128.83—total $3.073.24.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $207.83. Diocesan Missions $131.53. Thompson Orphanage $88.22—total $427.58.

General: General Missions $66.97. Domestic Missions $65. Foreign Missions $35.20. Jewish Missions $6.31—total $173.48. *Aggregate* $3,674.30.

A number of boxes, with a total valuation of $164.70, have been sent to various points.

Services have been held each month at Cary, of which the statistics are included in above report.

Some of the *receipts* for the Building Fund are included in the above report, but none of the disbursements.

Raleigh, Church of St. Ambrose; the Rev. J. E. King. Minister in Charge.

Families 33. Baptized persons 204. Baptisms: infant 3; adult 3—total 6. Confirmed 5. Communicants: last reported 118; admitted 5; received 2; died 3; removed 7; present number 115. Marriages 3. Burials 3. Sunday-school teachers 6; scholars 80. Parish teachers 2; scholars 130. Other Parish Agencies: Woman's Auxiliary; Altar Guild; Junior Brotherhood of St. Andrew. Public services: on Sundays 108; other days 73. Holy Communion: public 10; private 7.

Church sittings 250.

Value of church $3,000. Insurance $1.000 Indebtedness: Minister's salary $60.

Receipts—Communion alms $4.68. Offerings at church services $171 80. Sunday-school offerings $30 41. Parish societies $8. Other sources $801.63—total $1.016.52.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms $4. Minister's salary $40. Current expenses $108.32. Improvements $764.45—total $916 77.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $9.81. Diocesan Missions $9.63—total $19.44.

General: General Missions $8.41. *Aggregate* $944.62

Since my last report, I am glad to state, we have made a change which I feel will be of great advantage to the Church in the future. We sold last summer our old church property, which is in the northwestern section of the city, and purchased a much more desirable site on the corner of Wilmington and Cabarrus Streets, where, at an expen-

diture of $764.45, we moved the old church building and put it in serviceable condition. The basement, which is to be used as our Parish school-rooms. is yet to be finished, for which we need $200. There is room enough on the present site for a new church building and parsonage.

I go to the Penitentiary the first Sunday in each month and preach to the prisoners,

Raleigh, St. Augustine's Chapel; the Rev. A. B. HUNTER, Minister in Charge; the Rev. H. B. DELANY, Assistant Minister.

Families 16. Baptized persons 165. Baptisms: infant 12; adult 2—total 14. Confirmed 6. Communicants: last reported 76; admitted 6; received 1; died 1; removed 12; present number 70. Marriages 1. Burials 7. Sunday-school teachers 20; scholars 230. Other Parish Agencies: Mothers' Meeting; St. Andrew's Brotherhood; Junior Auxiliary; Missionary Store. Public services: on Sundays 135; other days 360. Holy Communion 50.

Chapel sittings 250.

Value of chapel $3,500. Insurance $1.200,

Receipts—Communion alms $73. Other sources $395.96—total $468.96.

Disbursements—Parochial: Current expenses $6.35.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $20. Diocesan Missions $103.58—total $123.58.

General: General Missions $51.66. Domestic Missions $10.41. Foreign Missions $54.91. Colored Missions $16.22. Indian Missions $13.41. Jewish Missions $4.70. Clergy Retiring Fund $12. American Church Building Fund $10.12. N. Y. Prayer Book Society $10. Galveston Relief $17.32. St. Michael and All Angels, Charlotte, $2. Good Samaritan Hospital $10.91. St. Agnes Hospital $93.83. Cain Memorial Church, Galveston, $31.54—total $339.03. *Aggregate* $468.96.

Raleigh, St. Mary's Chapel; the Rev. THEO. D. BRATTON, D.D., Rector.

Baptisms: infant 1; adult 3—total 4. Confirmed 14. Public services: twice on Sundays; daily morning and evening. Holy Communion semi-monthly.

Chapel sittings 200.

Receipts—Communion alms $91.28. Other offerings at church services $184.33—total $275.61.

Disbursements—Parochial: Miscellaneous $10.32.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $20. Diocesan Missions

$51.59. Thompson Orphanage $61.48. Aldert Smedes Scholarship $40—total $173.07.

General: General Missions $60.31. Clergy Retiring Fund $8.91. Mission School, Beaufort, $23—total $92.22. *Aggregate* $275.61.

Raleigh, St. Saviour's Chapel; the Rev. M. M. MARSHALL, D.D., Rector.

Families 20. Baptized persons 110. Baptisms: 7: adult 3—total 10. Confirmed 2. Communicants 27. Sunday-school teachers 9; scholars 86. Parish school teachers 1: scholars 30. Other Parish Agencies: Woman's Guild; Children of the Cross. Public services once every Sunday

Chapel sittings 200.

Value of chapel $1,500. Insurance $1,200

Receipts—Communion alms $2. Other offerings at church services $12.33 Sunday-school offerings $22.37. Parish societies $10. Other sources $250—total $296.70.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms $10. Salary of Mission school teacher $250. Current expenses $17—total $277.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $2.50. Diocesan Missions 37 cents—total $2.87.

General: Domestic Missions $14.73. *Aggregate* $294.60.

The work at this Mission of Christ Church is encouraging, and as it is believed, growing in usefulness.

Reidsville, St. Thomas' Church; the Rev. F. A. FETTER, Rector.

Families 15. Baptized persons 72. Baptisms: infant 3. Communicants: last reported 38; received 1; removed 2; present number 37. Sunday-school teachers 3; scholars 23. Public services: two on fourth Sunday of each month.

Indebtedness on Minister's salary $11.40.

Receipts—Offerings at church services $11.04. Sunday-school offerings $4.89—total $15.93.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's salary $138.60.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $13. Diocesan Missions $1.80—total $14.80.

General: General Missions $5. *Aggregate* $140.40.

The new church building is in process of erection, but the work has ceased for lack of funds. It will be resumed at the earliest moment practicable. I am still conducting the services in the chapel of the Graded school.

Ridgeway, Church of the Good Shepherd; the Rev. FRANCIS JOYNER, Rector.

Families 8. Baptized persons 36. Communicants: last reported 33; removed 6 present number 27. Sunday-school teachers 3; scholars 7. Public services: on Sundays 20; other days 1. Holy Communion: public 5; private 1.

Church sittings 150.

Receipts—Offerings at church services $7. Sunday-school offerings $2.55. Parish societies $21 71. Other sources $9—total $40.26.

Disbursements—Parochial: Current expenses $9. Improvements $4—total $13.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $1. Diocesan Missions $5—total $6.

General: General Missions $9.70. New York Bible and P. B. Society $7.50. Miscellaneous $4.06—total $21.26. *Aggregate* $40 26.

Ringwood, St. Clement's Church; the Rev. LOUIS HECTOR SCHUBERT, Rector.

Families 4. Baptized persons 23. Baptisms: infant 1. Communicants: last reported 15; removed 7; present number 14. Sunday-school teachers 3; scholars 16. Other Parish Agencies: Altar Guild. Public services: on Sundays 15; other days 1. Holy Communion 10.

Church sittings 150.

Value of church $1,000.

Receipts—Offerings at church services $18.82. Sunday-school offerings $3.50—total $22.32.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's salary $105.82.

Diocesan: Diocesan Missions $2.55. Thompson Orphanage $3—total $5.55.

General: Domestic Missions $1.75. Foreign Missions $1.75—total $3.50. *Aggregate* $114.87.

During the past year the Church has suffered heavy losses by removals. The people generally are leaving the country for the towns. The outlook is indeed sad.

Rockingham, Church of the Messiah; the Rev. GEORGE M. TOLSON, Minister in Charge.

Baptisms: infant 1. Confirmed 2. Communicants: last reported 24; died 1; present number 23.

This Mission has been without a minister during the past year. The Church was consecrated by the Bishop of the Diocese October 14, 1900.

Rocky Mount, Church of the Good Shepherd; the Rev. CHAS. FETTER, Rector.

Families 48. Baptized persons 225. Baptisms: infant 3; adult 5—total 8. Confirmed 18. Communicants: last reported 104; admitted 18: received 2; removed. white, 3; colored, 1; present number, white, 119; colored, 1; marriages 1; burials 3. Sunday-school teachers 12; scholars 60. Other Parish Agencies: Ladies' Aid Society; Woman's Auxiliary. Public services: on Sundays 96; other days 88. Holy Communion 23.

Church sittings 150; chapel sittings 75.

Value of church $5,000; chapel $100; rectory $2,000; endowments $2,000—total $9,100. Insurance $2,500.

Receipts—Offerings at church services $1,085.41. Sunday-school offerings $37.12. Ladies' Aid Society $294.98. Woman's Auxiliary $64.02. Other sources $130—total $1,611.53.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's salary $800. Current expenses $131.25. Improvements $333.41. Miscellaneous $9.79—total $1,274.45.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $65.28. Diocesan Missions $47.67. Thompson Orphanage $89.40. Convocation $6.74. Miscellaneous $7.75—total $216.84.

General: General Missions $28.38. Domestic Missions $5. Foreign Missions $4.32. Jewish Missions $2.05. Clergy Retiring Fund $5 40. Miscellaneous $4—total $49.15. *Aggregate* $1,540.44.

Rowan County, Christ Church; the Rev. F. J. MURDOCH. D.D., Minister in Charge; the Rev. THOMAS L. TROTT, Assistant Minister.

Baptized persons 95. Baptisms: infant 6. Confirmed 3. Communicants 46. Marriages 1. Burials 1. Sunday-school teachers 3; scholars 40. Public services: on Sundays 23; other days 3. Holy Communion 2.

Church sittings 300.

Value of church $800; other church property $400—total $1,200.

Receipts—Offerings at church services $16.55. Other sources $64.75—total $81.30.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's salary $64.75.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $10.28. Diocesan Missions $2.98. Education Fund $1.76. Relief Fund $1.53—total $16.55. *Aggregate* $81.30.

Rowan County, St. Andrew's Church and St. George's Chapel; the Rev. F. J. MURDOCH, D D., Minister in Charge; the Rev. THOS. L. TROTT, Assistant Minister.

Baptized persons 81. Baptisms: infant 4. Confirmed 1. Communicants: last reported 38; present number 44. Burials 1. Sunday-school

teachers 2; scholars 16. Public services: on Sundays 21; other days 3. Holy Communion 1.

Church sittings 200; chapel sittings 200.

Value of church $600; chapel $600; other church property $175—total $1,375.

Receipts—Offerings at church services $6.57. Other sources $44.25—total $50.82

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's salary $44.25.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $6. Diocesan Missions $1.57—total $7.57.

Aggregate $51 82.

The Rev. Mr. Trott celebrated one marriage at St. Mark's and two at South River and has held five services with preaching at Cooleemee Plantation. He also held one service and preached at New London, and two services and preached at South River.

Rowan County, St. Jude's Church; the Rev. F. J. MURDOCH, D.D., Minister in Charge; the Rev. JOHN L. SAUNDERS, Assistant Minister.

Baptized persons 49. Baptisms: infant 3; adult 1—total 4. Confirmed 1. Communicants: last reported 16; present 20. Burials 1. Public services: on every Sunday. Holy Communion 3

Church sittings 80.

Value of church $325.

Receipts—Communion alms $4.73. Other sources $15—total $19.73.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's salary $15.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $1.37. Diocesan Missions $2.81. Relief Fund 21 cents—total $4.39.

General: General Missions 34 cents *Aggregate* $19.73.

Rowan County, St. Matthew's Church; the Rev. F. J. MURDOCH, D.D, Minister in Charge: the Rev. JOHN L. SAUNDERS, Assistant Minister.

Baptized persons 63. Baptisms: infant 3. Confirmed 3. Communicants: last reported 34; present number 28. Marriages 3. Burials 3. Public services: every Sunday. Holy Communion 2.

Church sittings 80.

Value of church $350.

Receipts: Offerings at church services $3.37. Other sources $18.25—total $21.62.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's salary $18.25.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $1.24. Diocesan Missions $1.52. Relief Fund 20 cents—total $2.96.

General: General Missions 41 cents. *Aggregate* $21.62.

Rowan County, St. Mark's Church; the Rev. F. J. MURDOCH, D.D., Minister in Charge.

Baptized persons 7. Baptisms: infant 5; adult 2—total 7. Public services: semi-monthly.

Value of church $200.

In that part of Rowan County lying between the Wilkesboro and new Mocksville roads on the west and east, and between Second and Deal's Creeks on the north and south (a territory in which there was no place of worship of any denomination), there has been built since last Convention a chapel, to be known as St. Mark's Church, 18x36 feet. The Rev. Mr. Trott has kept up services semi-monthly, and has conducted a Bible class. The land for the church was given, and the entire cost of the lot and building has been about $200, all of which is paid. Communicants from St. George's who will attend this church have not yet been transferred.

Rowan County, St. Mary's Church; the Rev. F. J. MURDOCH, D.D., Rector.

Baptized persons 30. Communicants 21. Burials 1. Public services: on Sundays 20. Holy Communion 4.

Church sittings 120

Value of church $1.000; other church property $650—total $1,650.

Receipts—All sources $101 92.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's salary $68.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $6 41 Diocesan Missions $16 51. Education Fund $1—total $23.92.

General: General Missions $10. *Aggregate* $101.92.

Salisbury, St. Luke's Church; the Rev. F. J. MURDOCH, D.D., Rector.

Baptized persons 238. Baptisms: infant 2. Confirmed 9. Communicants: last reported 120; present number 126 Marriages 4. Burials 4 Sunday-school teachers 7; scholars 60. Public services: on Sundays 104; other days 120. Holy Communion: public 54; private 1.

Church sittings 300.

Value of church $7,000; rectory $5,000—total $12,000. Insurance $1.200 Indebtedness: on property $700.

Receipts—Communion alms $625 97. Other sources $462—total $1.087.97.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms $83.15. Minister's salary $462. Current expenses $132.88—total $678.03.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $89.44. Diocesan Missions $70.86. Education Fund $4.50. Relief Fund $1.50. Thompson

Orphanage $41.19. Church at Cooleemee $33.52. St. Mark's Church $64.13—total $305.14.

General: General Missions $6.74. Domestic Missions $21.73. Foreign Missions $32.80. N. Y. Prayer Book Society $18.42. Sewanee $14.11. American Church Building Fund $1—total $94.80 *Aggregate* $1,077.97.

Salisbury, St. John's Chapel; the Rev. F. J. MURDOCH, D.D., Rector; the Rev. S. J. M. BROWN, Assistant Minister.

Baptized persons 20. Baptisms: infant 2. Communicants: last reported 7; admitted 2; present number 9. Public services every Sunday.

Church sittings 120.

Value of church $500; other church property $1,000—total $1,500.

Salisbury, St. Peter's Church; the Rev. F. J. MURDOCH, D.D., Rector; the Rev. S. J. M. BROWN, Assistant Minister.

Baptized persons 35. Baptisms: infant 1. Communicants 14. Sunday-school teachers 4; scholars 40. Public services: on Sundays 52; other days 12. Holy Communion 12.

Church sittings 120.

Value of church $700. Insurance $400. Indebtedness: on property $88.

Receipts—Offerings at church services $9.96. Other sources $1.58—total $11.54.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $3.39. Diocesan Missions $5.69. Relief Fund 88 cents—total $9.96.

General: General Missions $1.58. *Aggregate* $11.54.

Sanford, St. Thomas' Church; the Rev. CHAS. T. BLAND, Minister in Charge.

Families 5. Baptized persons 21. Baptisms: infant 1. Confirmed 1. Communicants 9; received 4; died 1. Burials 1. Public services: on Sundays 13; other days 10. Holy Communion 4.

Church sittings 100.

Value of church $1,100.

Receipts—Communion alms $12.87. Other sources $42.22—total $55.09.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's salary $34.84. Miscellaneous $12—total $46.84.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $2.70. Diocesan Missions 50 cents. Thompson Orphanage $1.50—total $4.70.

General: Clergy Retiring Fund $1. Widows and Orphans Fund $2. American Church Building Fund 55 cents—total $3.55. *Aggregate* $55.09.

Satterwhite Mission; the Rev. J. H. M. POLLARD, Minister in Charge; OLIVER STANCILL, Lay Reader.

Families 14. Baptized persons 78. Communicants 39. Sunday-school teachers 3; scholars 47. Parish teachers 2; scholars 35. Public services: on Sundays 12. Holy Communion 2.

Chapel sittings 200.

Value of chapel $800. Insurance $500.

Receipts—Offerings at church services $42.50. Sunday-school offerings $3—total $45.50.

Disbursements—Parochial: Improvements $39.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $2.50. Diocesan Missions $1—total $3.50.

General: General Missions $1. American Church Building Fund $1. Miscellaneous $1—total $3. *Aggregate* $45.50.

The chapel is still unfinished, and the missionary is put to the great disadvantage of being compelled to live in a log house at a cost of $25 per annum. We have the ground, and only need sufficient money to build a house.

Scotland Neck, Trinity Church; the Rev. GIRARD W. PHELPS, Rector.

Families 39. Baptized persons 183. Baptisms: infant 4; adult 5—total 9. Confirmed 5. Communicants: last reported 126; admitted 5; received 5; died 3; present number: white 131; colored 2. Burials 12. Sunday-school teachers 4; scholars 50. Other Parish Agencies: Ladies' Aid; Auxiliary; Trinity Guild. Public services: on Sundays 104; other days 66. Holy Communion: public 14; private 3.

Church sittings 350; chapel sittings 300.

Value of church $5,000; chapel $3,000; rectory $2,000—total $10,000. Indebtedness on Minister's salary $300.

Receipts—Offerings at church services $439.98. Sunday-school offerings $14.19. Parish societies $153.48. Other sources $43.05—total $650.70.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's salary $300. Current expenses $60.35. Improvements $34.13—total $394.48.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $45.50. Diocesan Missions $18.24. Thompson Orphanage $37.45—total $101.19.

General: General Missions $7.41. Jewish Missions $1.09. Clergy Retiring Fund $3.85—total $12.35. *Aggregate* $508.02.

I have preached at Tillery 9 times. The same number of times at Spring Hill. At neither of these places, in the last year, have the congregations been encouraging, owing to the fact that the Baptists have Sunday-school and preaching near by every Sunday, and the few Church people are so scattered and distant as not to be able always to

attend. Therefore it is not easy to keep up zeal and interest. But as water will wear away stones, so constant effort will tell after awhile. And so I hope good will be done. I have done a great deal of visiting among the people of all denominations, and wherever expedient read and had prayers with them. This I think is quite as important as the preaching, and it seems to be greatly appreciated.

Smithfield Mission; the Rev. CHARLES FETTER, Minister in Charge.

By the direction of the Bishop, I took charge of the Mission at Smithfield, in Johnston County, last October.

There are eight members of the Church in Smithfield. I give to this Mission one Sunday night service in each month. The congregations are large. This is the only place in Johnston County where services of the Church are held. Our members are about to begin the erection of a church, a lot having been secured. There are, I think, thirteen members of the Church in the county.

Southern Pines, Emmanuel Church; the Rev. HENRY T. GREGORY, Minister in Charge.

Families 13. Baptized persons 53. Baptisms: infant 2. Communicants: last reported 18; received 3; died 1; present number 20. Burials 5. Sunday-school teachers 2; scholars 13. Other Parish Agencies: Woman's Auxiliary. Public services: on Sundays 52; other days 67 Holy Communion: public 21; private 18.

Church sittings 96.

Value of church $2.000. Insurance $1.000.

Receipts—Offerings at church services $323.92. Sunday-school offerings $37. Parish societies $71.50. Other sources $31.58—total $464.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's salary $264. Current expenses $27. Improvements $10.80—total $301.80.

Diocese: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $30. Diocesan Missions $38.20. Education Fund $1. Thompson Orphanage $12.74. Miscellaneous $2.50—total $84.44.

General: General Missions $27. Domestic Missions $22.27. Foreign Missions $14.85. Jewish Missions $10.34. Clery Retiring Fund (Pinehurst) $5 05. Widows and Orphans Fund $5.45. Miscellaneous $5.45—total $90.41. *Aggregate* $476.65.

The minister in charge has officiated as usual at Pinehurst on Sunday afternoon from December to May.

Statesville, Mission of the Holy Cross (colored): the Rev. T. B. BAILEY, Minister in Charge.

Families 6. Baptized persons 24. Communicants: last reported 11; died 1; present number 13. Sunday-school teachers 4; scholars 35. Parish school teachers 1; scholars 25. Public services: on Sundays 73.

Chapel sittings 175.

Value of school-house $400. Indebtedness: on Minister's salary $4.29.

Receipts—Offerings at church services $18.50. Sunday-school offerings $8. Other sources $31.14—total $57.64.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's salary $4.29. Current expenses $7.40. Improvements $35.57—total $47.26.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $3.10.

General: General Missions 2. Domestic Missions $2. Foreign Missions $1. Miscellaneous $1—total $6. *Aggregate* $56.36.

The year just past has been our most successful one in the matter of real interest and work done. The Mission work has forced itself upon the notice of all, and is generally respected. We are yet hopeful and encouraged.

Statesville, Trinity Church; the Rev. ROYAL GRAHAM SHANNONHOUSE, Minister in Charge.

Families 24. Baptized persons 80. Baptisms: infant 1. Communicants: last reported 37; removed 1; present number 36. Sunday-school teachers 3; scholars 20. Other Parish Agencies: Woman's Guild. Public services: on Sundays 49; other days 51. Holy Communion 5.

Church sittings 200.

Value of church $3,000.

Receipts—Offerings at church services $337.57. Sunday-school offerings $13.20. Parish societies: Woman's Guild $95.99—total $446.76.

Disbursements—Parochial: Parish Missions $8.01. Minister's salary $241.25. Current expenses $26.16. Improvements $59.70. Miscellaneous $22.40—total $357.52.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $17.20. Diocesan Missions $23.47. Education Fund $1.88. Relief Fund $1.35. Thompson Orphanage $13.63—total $57.53.

General: General Missions $3.44. Domestic Missions $1. Colored Missions $1.25. Jewish Missions 50 cents. Clergy Retiring Fund $1.31. American Church Building Fund $1.20—total $8.70. *Aggregate* $423.75.

Stoneville, Emmanuel Church; the Rev. F. A. FETTER, Minister in Charge.

Baptized persons 14. Communicants 12. Sunday-school teachers 3;

scholars 39. Other Parish Agencies: Woman's Auxiliary. Public services: first Monday night in each month. Holy Communion: quarterly.

Church sittings 150.

Value of church $650.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's salary $20.05.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $2.50.

Aggregate $22.55.

Stovall, St. Peter's Church; the Rev. FRANCIS W. HILLIARD, Minister in Charge.

Families 6. Baptized persons 15. Baptisms: infant 3. Communicants: last reported 14; received 2; removed 2; present number 14. Marriages 1. Public services: on Sundays 13; other days 7. Holy Communion 9.

Church sittings 100.

Value of church $600.

Receipts—Offerings at church services $75.69. Other sources $13.50—total $89.19.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's salary $60.97. Improvements $60—total $120.97.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $3 20. Diocesan Missions $15.87—total $19.07.

Aggregate $140.04.

Moneys raised last year for the improvement of the church, chiefly in the interior, have been expended with good effect. Twice during the year a series of continuous services has been held, once by the Archdeacon and once by the Priest in charge. The amount reported as given to Diocesan Missions does not include contributions to the Bishop's Twentieth Century Offering.

Tarboro, Calvary Church; the Rev. E. W. GAMBLE, Rector.

Families 116. Baptized persons 315. Baptisms: infant 11; adult 11—total 22. Confirmed 10. Communicants: last reported 195; admitted 10; received 6; restored 2; died 2; removed 5; present number 206. Marriages 7. Burials 10. Sunday-school teachers 11; scholars 85. Other Parish Agencies: Auxiliaries; Parish Aid Society; Brotherhood of St. Andrew; Altar Guild; Rectory Aid Society; Thompson Orphanage Guild; St. Mary's Guild; Missionary Bible Classes. Public services: on Sundays two, every day in Lent except Monday, Saturday and Wednesday; all Holy Days. Holy Communion: public every Sunday until middle of January, since then first Sunday in each month; private 5.

Church sittings 500; chapel sittings 100.

Value of church $25.000; chapel $1,800; rectory $3,600—total $30,400. Insurance $8.200. Indebtedness: on property $132

Receipts—Communion alms $44.24. Other offerings at church services $2,155.02. Sunday-school offerings $57.21. Parish societies: St. Mary's Guild $16.30 Altar Guild $13.90. Woman's Auxiliary $124 25. Young Ladies' Branch $75. Childrens' Branch $13. Babies' Branch $6.54. Rectory Aid $106. Other sources $105.55—total $2.717.01.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms $44 24. Minister's salary $1.000. Current expenses $278 57. Improvements $738. Sunday-school supplies $21.21. Debt on rectory $85.26. Miscellaneous $1 7.32—total $2,284.60.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $310.45. Diocesan Missions $291.07. Thompson Orphanage $114 91—total $716.43

General: General Missions $84.68. Jewish Missions $10.10. Clergy Retiring Fund $6.75—total $101 53. *Aggregate* $3,102 56

Tarboro, St. Luke's Church (colored): the Rev. JOHN WILLIAM PERRY, Rector.

Families 22. Baptized persons 127. Baptisms: infant 3; adult 1—total 4. Confirmed 6. Communicants: last reported 65; admitted 4; died 1; suspended 1; present number 67. Marriages 3. Burials 1. Sunday-school teachers 7; scholars 84. Parish teachers 3; scholars 100. Industrial teachers 2; scholars 74. Other Parish Agencies: St. Luke's Guild: Woman's Auxiliary; Mission Helper; Altar Guild. Public services: on Sundays 100; other days 112. Holy Communion 16.

Church sittings 280.

Value of church $2,700. Insurance $2.000. Indebtedness: on Minister's salary $120.

Receipts—Communion alms $9.96. Other offerings at church services $142.98. Sunday-school offerings $31.17. Parish societies $14.40—total $198.51.

Disbursements--Parochial: Alms $8.25. Minister's salary $80. Current expenses $26 20. Improvements $6.45—total $120 90.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $16.26. Diocesan Missions $4—total $20.26

General: General Missions $12.50. Domestic Missions $2.50--total $15. *Aggregate* $156.16.

Wadesboro, Calvary Church; the Rev. GEORGE M. TOLSON. Rector-elect.

Families 25. Baptized persons 150. Communicants: last reported 58; removed 6; present number 52. Sunday-school teachers 6; scholars 30. Public services: on Sundays 7; other days 1. Holy Communion 7.

Church sittings 300.

Value of church $5,000; rectory $1,000; other church property $75—total $6,075. Insurance $3.600.

Receipts—Offerings at church services $47.77. Parish societies $12 40. Parish Guild $21.75. Woman's Auxiliary $50 30. Junior Auxiliary $24 90 Monthly pledges $33.90. Other sources $160.02—total $351.04.

Disbursements—Parochial: Current expenses $14.75 Insurance $69.45 Minister for services and expenses $46.50 Miscellaneous $8.82—total $139.52.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $39 50. Diocesan Missions $39 65 Thompson Orphanage $20 Convocation $21—total $120.15

General: General Missions $13. Domestic Missions $6 30. Foreign Missions $4.40—total $23.70. *Aggregate* $283.37.

Walnut Cove, Christ Church and Concord Chapel; the Rev. J H. WILLIAMS, Minister in Charge.

Baptized persons 44. Baptisms: adult (colored) 1 Communicants 30. Sunday-school teachers 8; scholars 100. Public services: on Sundays monthly; other days monthly (at Chapel). Holy Communion quarterly.

Church sittings 250; chapel sittings 100.

Value of church $1,400

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's salary $84.81.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $7.

General: Foreign Missions 50 cents. *Aggregate* $92.31.

Warren County, St. Luke's Chapel (colored); the Rev. J. H. M. POLLARD, Minister in Charge; VIRGIL N. BOND, Lay Reader.

Families 10. Baptized persons 40. Baptisms: infant 2. Confirmed 1. Communicants: last reported 19; admitted 1; present number 20. Sunday-school teachers 2; scholars 26. Public services: on Sundays 8. Holy Communion 2.

Chapel sittings 100.

Value of chapel $200.

Receipts—Offerings at church services $11.83. Sunday-school offerings 67 cents—total $12.50.

Disbursements—Parochial: Improvements $7.33.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $2.50. Diocesan Missions $1—total $3.50.

General: Sunday-school offerings $67.00. American Church Building Fund $1—total $1.67. *Aggregate* $12.50

These people deserve encouragement, and need a suitable house of worship. That and the establishment of a school would serve as a means of building up the Mission.

Warrenton, All Saints' Chapel (colored); the Rev. H. B DELANY, Minister in Charge.

Families 7. Baptized persons 35. Baptisms: infant 1. Confirmed 1. Communicants: last reported 23; admitted 1; removed 1; withdrawn 1; present number 22. Sunday-school teachers 7; scholars 39. Parish school teachers 1; scholars 47. Public services: on Sundays 55; other days 22. Holy Communion 14.

Chapel sittings 100.

Value of chapel $400.

Receipts—Communion alms $7.21. Other offerings at church services $44.16. Sunday-school offerings $29.18. Parish societies $54.03. Special Fund $34.50. Other sources $45.60—total $214.68.

Disbursements—Parochial: Current expenses $58.26. Improvements $3. Books $18.70—total $79.96.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $7.31. Diocesan Missions $3.48. Special building Fund in hand $58. Miscellaneous $54.06—total $122.85.

General: General Missions $3.99. Colored Missions 33 cents. Galveston $6.25 American Church Building Fund 51 cents. Prayer Book Society 30 cents. Archdeaconry 49 cents—total $11 87. *Aggregate* $214.68.

We feel greatly encouraged over the prospect of our work in Warrenton. The Mission is small, and its growth slow, but the members are very zealous for its development. The Archdeacon has made several visitations to the Mission, and through him provision was made by which the Mission could have at least weekly services during the greater part of the year. In addition to my duties as Chaplain of St. Augustine's School, I still make monthly visits to Warrenton and to St. Ambrose, Raleigh.

Warrenton, Emmanuel Church; the Rev. B. S. BRONSON, Rector.

Baptisms: infant 2. Confirmed 5. Communicants: last reported 58; admitted 3: died 1: removed 2; present number 58. Burials 2.

Value of church $5,000; rectory $2,000—total $7,000. Insurance $3,475.

Receipts—Sunday-school offerings $20. Other sources $587—total $607.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's salary $200. Current expenses $125. Improvements $225—total $550.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $40. Thompson Orphanage $15—total $55.

General: General Missions $28.87. *Aggregate* $633.87.

Weldon, Grace Church; the Rev. J. TAYOR CHAMBERS Rector.

Families 24. Baptized persons 96. Baptisms: infant 3. Confirmed 1. Communicants: last reported 62; received 4; died 2; removed 2; present number, white 60; colored 2. Marriages 1. Burials 4. Sunday-school teachers 5; scholars 23. Public services: on Sundays 115; other days 99. Holy Communion 24.

Church sittings 200.

Value of church $2,500; rectory $800; other church property $150—total $3,450. Insurance $1,500.

Receipts—Communion alms $23.70. Other offerings at church services $519.77. Sunday school offerings $19.89. Parish societies $278.28. Other sources $87.65—total $929.29.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms $20. Minister's salary $300. Current expenses $73.50. Improvements $260. Special $60.98. Miscellaneous $60—total $774.48.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $70.70. Diocesan Missions $16.98. Thompson Orphanage $22.66—total $110 34.

General: General Missions $16.87. Domestic Missions $2. Foreign Missions $3. Clergy Retiring Fund $8.80. Miscellaneous $3—total $33.67. *Aggregate* $918.49.

Williamsboro, St. John's Church; Mr. NAT. D. BOYD, Lay Reader.

Families 27. Baptized persons 50. Communicants: last reported 29; died 1; present number 28 Burials 1.

Church sittings 300.

Value of church $2,000.

The Parish has been without a Rector since the lamented death of the Rev. Wm. S. Pettigrew, for thirty years in charge of this congregation, who passed away July 27, 1900. Occasional services have been held by the Bishop, Archdeacon and the neighboring Clergy, and during the winter Mr. T. A. Cheatham served the Parish most acceptably as Lay Reader. Mr. Nat. D. Boyd is now serving in that capacity.

Wilson, St. Mark's Chapel (colored); the Rev. J. H. M. POLLARD, Minister in Charge; Mr. JOHN H. CLARK, Lay Reader.

Families 21. Baptized persons 59. Baptisms: infant 1. Communicants: last reported 26; removed 3; withdrawn 1; present number 22. Sunday-school teachers 5; scholars 85. Parish teachers 2; scholars 82 Public services: on Sundays 70. Holy Communion 6.

Chapel sittings 250.

Value of church $1,200. Insurance $900.

Receipts—Offerings at church services $52.46. Sunday-school offerings $19.12. Other sources $34.75—total $106.33.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's salary $20. Current expenses $21.30. Miscellaneous $34 75 - total $76.05.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $3.20. Miscellaneous $10—total $13.20.

General: General Missions $4. Galveston $4. American Church Building Fund $1. Miscellaneous $8 08—total $17.08. *Aggregate* $106.33.

The Rev. Wm. B Perry, Deacon. resigned this work October 1, 1900. and returned to Virginia. Mr. John H. Clark was appointed teacher in the school and Lay Reader in the Mission, and has rendered acceptable service in both positions. The school has increased in numbers, and the offerings of the year fall not far short of last year This Mission needs a school house and a rectory.

Wilson, St. Timothy's Church; the Rev. CARY GAMBLE Rector-elect.

Families 48. Baptized persons 183. Baptisms: infant 8; adult 1—total 9. Communicants: last reported 84; died 2; removed 7; present number 77. Marriages 3. Burials 5. Sunday-school teachers 8; scholars 77. Public services: on Sundays 86 to Easter; other days 80. Holy Communion: public 44; private 6.

Value of church $1,500: rectory $1,800—total $3,300. Indebtedness on property $400.

Receipts—Communion alms $15.99. Other offerings at church services $98. Auxiliary $9 20—total $123 19.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's salary $600. Current expenses $101—total $701.

Diocesan: Diocesan Missions $7.30. Thompson Orphanage $20—total $27.30.

General: General Missions $34.48 Domestic Missions $7 20 Foreign Missions $3.90. General Clergy Relief $11. Miscellaneous $6 50—total $63.08. *Aggregate* $791.38.

Winston, St. Paul's Church; the Rev. HARRIS MALLINCKRODT, Rector.

Families 63. Baptized persons 187. Baptisms: infant 3; adult 1—total 4 Confirmed 7. Communicants: last reported 120; admitted 7; present number 125. Marriages 3. Burials 3. Sunday-school teachers 5; scholars 54. Other Parish Agencies: Brotherhood of St. Andrew; Auxiliaries; Ladies' Aid Society; Altar Guild. Public services: on Sundays 66; other days 18. Holy Communion 8.

Church sittings 150.

Value of church $3,800; rectory $2,700—total $6,500. Insurance $3,500.

Receipts—Communion alms $21.18 Other offerings at church services $894.84. Sunday-school offerings $48 52 Parish Aid $298.56—total $1,263.10.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's salary $438.95. Current expenses $259.88. Improvements $67.16. Insurance $15. Miscellaneous $297.49—total $1,078.48.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund $42. Diocesan Missions $21.25—total $73.25.

General: Jewish Missions $4.20. Clergy Retiring Fund $10.90. Miscellaneous $48.52—total $63.62 *Aggregate* $1,215.35.

From May to December we were without a Rector, Mr Mallinckrodt then taking charge. Previous to December we had lay reading, and the Rev. Mr. Horsefield was with us two months.

NO REPORTS could be obtained from the following Missions:

GREENSBORO, ST CUTHBERT'S. HIGH POINT, ST. MARY'S.

The following account was kept by the late Rev. JOSEPH W. MURPHY, who died October 17. 1900, and by his direction was sent to the Bishop after his decease:

Account of Clerical Work since Report of May 1, 1900, to be sent to Bishop Cheshire, in case of my death or total disability, as my final report. J. W. M.

I have officiated in services as many times as these marks show—iiiii

Of these conducted entirely by myself, ii

Sermons, iiii

Days on which I have officiated: 1900, May 24, June 10 and 24, August 5, September 2.

REPORT OF THE ARCHDEACON FOR WORK AMONG COLORED PEOPLE.

To the Rt. Rev. Joseph Blount Cheshire, D. D.,
Bishop of North Carolina.

MY DEAR BISHOP: Again by the grace of God I am permitted to render to you this account of the work entrusted to my care. It has been my earnest endeavor to push forward the advancement of this work as rapidly as the means placed at my disposal would allow, and I am thankful to say that we have made reasonable progress, as the statistical table will show, considering the many difficulties and disadvantages under which the work has been prosecuted The following is a record of my official acts during the year: Celebrations of the Holy Communion, 27; services, 139; sermons, 56; addresses, 58; visits made to schools, 104; baptisms, 12; miles travelled, 4,705, and contributions from the Churches and Missions, not including donations and appro-

priations, $2,473.36, an increase of $342 71 over the amount raised last year.

I attended the Sixteenth Annual Conference of Church Workers among Colored People, in St. Augustine's Chapel, Raleigh, during the second week in October, 1900. This was the first time that the Conference had been held in North Carolina, and it was acknowledged by all in attendance to have been one of the most useful and inspiring meetings yet held.

Later in the same month I attended the Missionary Council, held in Louisville, Kentucky, and for the first time in my ministry felt and realized the great missionary power of the Church. It was a meeting never to be forgotten.

During the year a new school-house was erected at Statesville, and the work put on a better foundation than ever before in its history

After being closed for several years, the Mission School at Pittsboro was reopened under a competent teacher. The prospects for success seem to be bright.

The removal of St Ambrose, Raleigh, from the northwestern to a more desirable location in the southeastern part of the city and in the midst of a section largely inhabited by colored people, has done more to bring the Church in touch with the people than any act previously put forth in connection with this special work. The special report from this Parish will corroborate this statement.

The Archdeacon with the consent of the Bishop purchased, at Littleton, a farm containing one dwelling-house and a large barn, at a cost of $1,000, paying $200 in cash and giving four notes of $200 each for one, two, three and four years, with a mortgage on the property until the notes can be cancelled. It is our hope that the Farming and Training School may be a means of stimulation to the people of Halifax and Warren counties and help them to recognize the fact that labor is honorable.

The people of Warrenton have purchased and paid for valuable property without any outside help. They have an open and barn-like building now used for both school and Church services. Mr. Everard W. Daniel, a student of the General Theological Seminary, New York, gave satisfactory services during the summer months of 1900 without pay, and Mr. Theodore Pollard took charge of the school October 1, 1900, and has brought it up to a standard of proficiency never before reached in the history of the Mission. It is our purpose to build here a *Memorial Chapel* in memory of the late Rev. Thomas White Cain, who was drowned at Galveston, Texas, on the 8th of September 1900. Both Mr. Cain and his wife were natives of Warren County.

The Rev. William B. Perry, deacon, resigned the work at Wilson October 1, and returned to Virginia.

Mr. John H. Clark was immediately appointed Teacher and Lay Reader and the Mission has gone on successfully. The school has

grown larger in numbers than under the former Missionary and the offerings are not far short of last year.

St. Luke's Mission, Warren County, deserves encouragement, and a suitable house of worship is sadly needed.

The Chapel at Satterwhite is still unfinished and the Missionary compelled to live in a rented house.

Three visitations were made to St. Philip's, Noise, during the year, but on account of the weather no services could be held on two of them. The service in August was largely attended and nine children baptized. A good man with sound judgment could do a substantial work here for the upbuilding of the Kingdom, but his life would be one of great self-denial.

The work at Louisburg is not making any progress. There is no competent man to place in charge of the Sunday School and Mission in the absence of the Missionary.

I deem it a part of my duty to call your attention to the making out of the various reports called for from the Missionaries. It is hard to obtain an accurate statement of the baptized persons and communicants. Some report all baptized persons whose names appear on the books whether known or unknown, alive or dead. Some seem to think that once a communicant, always a communicant, and so report from year to year, though the Missionaries cannot tell whether the persons are living or dead. In my judgment, neither baptized persons, nor those once communicants should be reported unless they can be accounted for and known to be alive and have some good reason why their names should be reported.

I would like to urge upon the Missionaries through you the necessity of keeping an accurate account of all contributions from the Churches and Missions under three heads: (1) from the Church or Mission; (2) from the Sunday School and (3) from the day school, and let these accounts include all money raised by the people themselves, and in such a condition as to be always accessible.

Opportunities of church advancement are all around us. More than three hundred thousand souls are living without the holy influences of the Church of God. We can guide and direct the lives of the grown in a measure, though we may not expect many of them to seek the Church. But we can lay a safe foundation for the young, by educating the children, not in superficial attainments, nor in the changing and sentimental excitement of religious emotion, but in the deep and abiding truths of God's Word, as presented by the careful and systematic training of the Church, and instilling principles into their hearts and habits into their lives which will bring them under the power and control of the everlasting Gospel. You will find the statistical statement appended to this report.

Respectfully submitted, J. H. M. POLLARD,

May 1, 1901. *Archdeacon.*

STATISTICS OF WORK AMONG COLORED PEOPLE.

Churches and Missions.	Clergy in Charge.	Families.	Baptisms.	Confirmations.	Communicants.	Marriages.	Burials.	Sunday School Teachers.	Sunday School Scholars.	Day School Teachers.	Day School Scholars.	Chapels.	School-houses.	Rectories.	Contributions.	Value of Property.	Insurance.
Charlotte, St. Michael and All Angels	P. P. Alston	19	7	16	91	1	7	9	125	4	124	1	1	..	$510.75	$7,250	$5,000
Littleton Mission	Archdeacon	7	1	3	16	.		2	26	2	58	1	1	..	91.22	2,000	950
Louisburg, St Matthias	Archdeacon	...	..	..	22	.	..	2	38	1	69	1	1	..	41.86	2,500	600
Moncure, Grace	Archdeacon		..	..	....	.	..	..	..	..	....		1	..	....	200	.....
Noise, St. Philip's	Archdeacon	9	9	..	22	..	..	..	..	...	....	1	1	1	1.65	800	600
Pittsboro, St James	J. E. King	7	1	..	30	..		4	40	1	30	1	1	..	55.56	1,280	600
Raleigh, St. Ambrose	J E King	33	6	5	115	3	3	6	80	2	130	1	..	.	598.16	3,000	1,000
Raleigh, St. Augustine's	A. B. Hunter	16	14	6	63	1	7	20	230	...	..	1	..	.	468.96	3,500	1,200
Satterwhite Mission	Archdeacon	14	..	..	39	..	..	3	47	2	25	1	..		45.50	800	500
Statesville, Holy Cross	T. B. Bailey	6	..	..	13	..	.	4	35	1	25	..	1	..	62.64	400	.....
Tarboro, St Luke's	J. W. Perry	22	4	6	67	3	1	7	84	3	100	1	1	.	263.55	2,700	2,000
Warrenton, All Saints	H. B. Delany	7	1	1	22	..		7	39	1	47	..	1	..	214.68	400	300
Warren County, St. Luke's	Archdeacon	10	2	1	20	..	..	2	26	....	....	..	1	..	12.50	200	.....
Wilson, St. Mark's	Archdeacon	21	1	..	22	..	..	5	85	2	82	1	..	..	106.33	1,200	900
		171	46	38	542	8	18	71	855	19	710	11	9	1	2,473.36	26,230	13,650

NINETEENTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE NORTH CAROLINA BRANCH OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY TO THE BOARD OF MISSIONS.

Parish Branches.	Members.	Intercessory Days Observed.	Central Fund.	Missions. United Offering.	Missions. Special	Missions. Foreign.	Missions. Domestic	Missions. Diocesan	Thompson Orphanage.	Boxes.	Value.	C. P. C.	Total.
CONVOCATION OF CHARLOTTE.													
Charlotte, St. Peter's	85	4	$8.60	$5.50	.....	$21.66	$17.12	$42.56	$18.65	2	$35.20	.....	$149.29
Bristow, St. Mark's	15	2	1.50	.....	$1.00	.15	.15	11.53	.....	.....	.....	.....	14.33
Monroe, St Paul's	12	2	1.25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9.15	2	22.00	.....	32.40
Southern Pines, Emmanuel	14	.....	.....	.....	.....	12.50	7.50	2.50	.....	.....	.....	$2.50	25.00
Wadesboro, Calvary	5	.....	.50	6.00	1.80	2.00	3.50	2.00	14.00	1	21.00	.....	50.80
CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH.													
Chapel Hill, Chapel of the Cross	17	1	1.70	.....	2.00	1.00	1.00	2.00	13.50	1	5.00	.....	26.20
Durham, St. Philip's	31	3	.....	28.61	27.77	23.00	25.00	17.08	25.00	4	133.31	2.00	281.77
Henderson, Holy Innocents	50	3	4.40	10.01	21.50	10.53	5.50	6.83	42.34	5	53.75	.....	154.86
Hillsboro, St. Matthew's	25	4	2.50	.....	.....	6.00	7.15	5.00	18.60	1	70.69	.....	109.94
Louisburg, St. Paul's	11	4	2.00	5.00	1.00	3.50	10.50	1.00	20.00	.....	.....	.....	43.00
Oxford, St. Stephen's	30	4	2.30	4.22	22.45	21.27	48.00	15.00	26.50	1	31.00	1.00	171.74
Pittsboro, St. Bartholomew's	21	.....	.....	.....	2.50	.....	1.00	.....	.....	4	89.15	.....	92.65
Raleigh, Christ's Church	30	1	3.00	23.30	16.50	20.00	10.00	10.00	.....	1	55.00	1.00	138.80
Raleigh, Good Shepherd	21	4	2.10	14.00	43.00	21.10	17.00	11.10	46.00	4	123.40	1.00	277.70
Raleigh, St. Mary's	15	1	1.40	8.25	.....	12.00	.....	.....	12.00	1	1.00	.....	34.65
Raleigh, St. Ambrose	19	.....	.....	.....	6.00	3.00	2.50	3.50	2.00	1	21.50	.....	38.50

REPORT OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY—CONTINUED.

Parish Branches	Members.	Intercessory Days Observed.	Central Fund.	Missions. United Offering.	Missions. General Missions.	Missions. Foreign.	Missions. Domestic.	Missions. Diocesan.	Thompson Orphanage.	Boxes.	Value.	C. P. C.	Total.
CONVOCATION OF SALISBURY.													
Elkin Mission	3		$0.30	$	$	$	$1.50	$1.50	$5.00		$	$	$8.30
Fork Church Mission	3		.30	2.00		1.50		5.00	5.00				13.80
Greensboro, St. Andrew's	12	2		2.34	1.50	6.00	3.00	1.00	2.00				15.84
Greensboro, St. Barnabas	18		1.80		5.00	1.00	1.00			1	25.00		33.80
Germanton, St. Philip's	4								4.00				4.00
Leaksville, Epiphany	14	1	.60	10.20		5.00	3.00	3.00	2.50				24.30
Salisbury, St. Luke's	30		3.00	7.00		10.00	5.00	5.00	53.50				83.50
Statesville, Trinity	1								1.95				1.95
Stoneville, Emmanuel	3					1.00	1.00						2.00
Winston, St. Paul's	25	3	5.00	15.00	15.00	9.25	4.00	7.00	8.50	1	18.72		67.47
CONVOCATION OF TARBORO.													
Halifax, St. Mark's	7		.70	1.00		.75	1.50	.50					4.45
Jackson, Church of our Saviour	9		.90	16.75		4.00	4.00		5.00				30.65
Littleton, St. Alban's	2			10.56					2.50				13.05
Ridgeway, Good Shepherd	7			4.00		4.00	2.15	1.00	1.00				12.15
Rocky Mount, Good Shepherd	26	1		3.30		2.32	5.00		5.00	1	40.00		55.62
Scotland Neck, Trinity	30		3.00	2.35	.50	3.00	4.00	2.00	4.00	1	49.63		68.48
Tarboro, Calvary	31	4	2.00	11.00		13.00	10.00	7.00	15.25	2	68.00		126.25
Warrenton, Emmanuel	26	1				2.30	1.00	12.00	5.00	1	27.00		47.30
Weldon, Grace	14	1	1.30	5.21		2.00	3.00	4.18	12.25	1	32.00		59.94
Wilson, St. Timothy's	16	4	2.15	6.35	1.10	15.00	7.50	10.00	36.25	1	24.00		102.52
Total	682	48	47.30	183.69	176.87	237.83	212.57	189.45	416.44	37	945.35	7.50	2,417.00

MISS MARY E. HORNER, Oxford, N. C., *Diocesan Secretary.*

REPORT OF THE JUNIOR DEPARTMENT OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY.

Branches 35. Members 891.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Thompson Orphanage	$237.60	United Offering	$35.26
Diocesan Missions	39.91	Central Fund	20.55
Domestic Missions	52.39	Church Periodical Club	1.40
Foreign Missions	114.68	Boxes, 21, valued	110.15
			$611.94

MRS. PAXSON WATTERS,
Secretary.

SIXTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BABIES' BRANCH.

Foreign—Bishop Atkinson Cot, Holy Trinity Orphanage, Oji, Japan	$36.00
Domestic—St. Augustine's School, Kindergarten	9.00
Diocesan—Thompson Orphanage, Nurses Fund	22.00
United Offering	4.00
Central Fund	10.08
	$81.08

MRS. WALTER J. SMITH,
Director.

TWENTY-FIFTH ANNUAL REPORT, ST. PETER'S HOSPITAL, CHARLOTTE, N. C , 1900.

Each year we are able to chronicle an advance in the work of the Hospital. The number receiving its benefits is almost double that of the previous year. The work of the nurses, in the Hospital and when sent out, is better and more widely sought. The success of both medical and surgical treatment has been marked, and from its day of small things, twenty-five years ago, it has become nearer what we hope to make it, although still far below our ambition.

The School of Nurses has proved a success The pupil nurses have filled nobly many responsible positions during the year, and have carried aid and comfort to many sick-beds and anxious hearts.

Several boxes from Women's Auxiliary branches were received, and were very valuable and helpful.

The number of patients received in 1900 was 226; male 120, female 106. Number of days board and care, 4,108; deaths 17.

Patients registered as follows: 124 from Charlotte, 77 from other parts of North Carolina, 11 from South Carolina, 2 each from Virginia, Georgia, Massachusetts and Pennsylvania; 1 each from Illinois, New York and Maryland, and 3 unknown.

Church connections were: 85 Methodists, 29 Baptists, 29 Presbyterians, 27 Episcopalians, 8 Roman Catholics, 6 A. R. Presbyterians, 8 Lutherans, 1 Hebrew, and 33 were not members of any church.

Money received in 1900	$4,998.27
Balance from 1899	47.25
Total cash	$5,045.52
Expenses during 1900	4,983.98
Balance to 1901	$ 61.54

The Hospital still needs fences and an elevator, and we are hoping to provide one or the other before long

MRS. T. B. GAUTIER, *President.*
MRS. JOHN WILKES, *Secretary and Treasurer.*
For the Board of Managers.

NINTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE GOOD SAMARITAN HOSPITAL, CHARLOTTE, N. C., 1900.

During 1900 this Hospital has pursued its work quietly, but effectively, as the record shows:

108 patients were received during the year; 68 males, 40 females

Total number days board and care, 1,365 Six deaths occurred, of which 4 were due to accidents, and the sufferers died soon after admission. Fifty-eight were from Charlotte, 38 from other parts of North Carolina, 11 from South Carolina, and one from Georgia. For 30 patients board was paid—$422.00; 78 were charity cases.

Money received in 1900	$1,294.90
Balance from 1899	45.87
Total cash	$1,340.77
Expenses in 1900	1,241.12
Balance to 1901	99.65

The expenses are surprisingly small when the number cared for is considered.

The Hospital has, as usual, received several valuable boxes of sheets, clothing and other supplies, from branches of the Woman's Auxiliary in several dioceses. The Colored Graded School and St. Michael's Parish School, sent a large and most acceptable Thanksgiving supply of provisions.

The year 1900 closed without debt, and a surplus of $99 65 carried to 1901, but the Hospital still lacks the much-needed Operating Room and its equipment. We have a beginning of the necessary fund laid by, but need at least $1,500 for building, furnishing and repairs to house.

MRS. JOHN WILKES, *President and Treasurer.*
MRS. R. LOCKWOOD JONES, *Secretary.*
For Board of Managers.

AMENDMENTS ADOPTED BY THE CONVENTION OF 1901.

CANONS: Chapter I, Canon VIII, Section 1. Strike out in the first paragraph all after the words *Executive Missionary Committee* and add as follows: to consist of four Clergymen and five laymen, the Convocations of Raleigh and Charlotte to be represented each in both orders; five members (of whom the Bishop may be one) constituting a quorum for the transaction of business.

Chapter I, Canon XIV, section 1. Strike out Section and substitute as follows:

It shall be the duty of every Clergyman in the Diocese to take an annual offering from every congregation served by him, for each of the objects named below, upon the day named in connection therewith, or upon some other Sunday in the same month, viz:

Domestic and Foreign Missions.....First Sunday in January.
Diocesan Education Fund.....First Sunday in March.
Theological Department at Sewanee.....First Sunday in May.
Diocesan Relief Fund.....First Sunday in July.
American Church Building Fund....First Sunday in October.

The omission of one or more of these offerings shall not be deemed a violation of duty in the case of congregations where there is not at least a monthly Sunday service.

Every congregation of this Diocese shall make an offering on Thanksgiving Day for the Thompson Orphanage and Training Institution.

Chapter II, Canons I and II. Strike out Canons and substitute as follows:

CANON I.

SECTION 1. The Missionary Work of the Diocese shall be administered in three Missionary Convocations, to be known as the Convocation of Raleigh, for work among the white people in the eastern part of the Diocese: the Convocation of Charlotte, for work among the white people in the western part of the Diocese; and the Convocation of the Colored People, for work among the colored people of the whole Diocese: each Convocation to be under the charge of its own Archdeacon. The dividing line between the Convocations of Raleigh and Charlotte shall be fixed by the Bishop.

SEC. 2. There shall be a meeting of each Convocation at least once in each year at such time and place as shall be appointed by the Bishop,

or by the Convocation at the next preceding meeting, and such meeting or meetings shall be attended by the Clergy residing or officiating, and by the Treasurers of all Parishes and Missions situated, within the limits of the Convocation. The Bishop, or in his absence, the Archdeacon, shall preside at all meetings of the Convocation.

SEC. 3 Each Convocation shall have power to appoint all necessary officers, to prescribe their duties, to require from all its members reports of the work in which they are engaged, to raise funds for Missionary work, under the direction of the Bishop and the Archdeacon, and to take such action, not inconsistent with the Canons of the Diocese, as in the judgment of its members may be deemed expedient for the prosecution of Missionary work within its limits.

CANON II.

SECTION 1. The ministers and officers of all Missions, and of all Parishes supported wholly or in part by appropriations of Missionary funds, whether Diocesan or General, shall make quarterly reports to the Archdeacons of their respective Convocations as to their work, and the contributions of such Missions and Parishes, in such form as the Bishop may prescribe.

SEC. 2 The Treasurer of each Mission and of each Parish whose minister receives a missionary stipend, shall report to the Archdeacon of his Convocation by the first day of May in each year the amount subscribed by such Mission or Parish for the salary of the minister thereof and for Diocesan Missions for the current year; and when the amounts so subscribed by any congregation shall appear inadequate, or when no report has been made, the Archdeacon may, either in person or by deputy, make a canvass of such congregation for subscriptions for these two objects.

SUMMARY OF STATISTICS, 1901.

Clergy—Bishop 1, Priests 36, Deacons 8	45
Clergy ordained - Deacon	1
Clergy received	4
Clergy transferred	8
Clergy deceased	2
Candidates for Priest's Orders (one a Deacon)	4
Postulants	6
Lay Readers	50
Churches consecrated	5
Parishes	39
Organized Missions	21
Unorganized Missions	33
Families reported	1,960
Baptized persons	8,610
Baptisms—infant, 247; adult, 98; total	345
Confirmed	294
Communicants	4,778
Marriages	68
Burials	154
Sunday-school teachers	385
" scholars	3,489
Parish school teachers	30
" scholars	1,010
Industrial school teachers	7
" scholars	212
Churches and Chapels	102
Church sittings	19,926
Rectories	28
Parochial property:	
Value of Church buildings	$273,650.00
" Rectories	57,050.00
" Endowments	7,740.46
" Other property	28,898.43
Total	$367,338.89
Insurance	$108,725.00
Indebtedness on property	6,097.00
Other indebtedness	2,235.94

SOURCES OF INCOME.

Communion alms	$1,630.72
Other offerings in church	19,517.86
Sunday-school offerings	1,298.85
Parish Societies	6,541.86
All other sources	17,071.16
Total	$46,060.45

EXPENDITURES.

Parochial.

Alms	$775.10
Parish Missions	899.64
Ministers' Salaries	18,997.06
Current expenses	4,500.65
Improvements and repairs	6,496.13
Other Parochial objects	4,905.61
Total	$36,574.19

Diocesan.

Episcopal and Contingent Fund	$3,021.87
Diocesan Missions	2,474.90
Education Fund	55.52
Relief Fund	32.53
Thompson Orphanage	2,153.47
Convocation	78.92
Other Diocesan objects	642.26
Total	$8,459.45

General.

General Missions	$1,071.88
Domestic Missions	516.73
Foreign Missions	329.03
Missions to Colored People	39.03
Missions to Indians	36.73
Missions to Jews	84.92
University of the South	57.11
Clergymen's Retiring Fund Society	219.71
General Clergy Relief	59.82
American Church Building Fund	34.84
Other General objects	663.20
Total	$3,113.00
Aggregate of Disbursements	$48,146.64

STATEMENT OF LABORATORY REPORTS—CONTINUED.

| | Incoming | | Outgoing | | |

APPENDIX C.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING MARCH 31, 1901.

To the Convention of the Diocese of North Carolina.

Your Treasurer presents herewith his accounts for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1901, showing balances as follows:

	Dr.	Cr.
Permanent Episcopal Fund	.....	$7,570.03
Fund for the Relief of Disabled Clergymen, etc.,	.....	535.87
Current Episcopal and Contingent Fund	.....	457.19
Fund for Diocesan Missions	$145.53	.....
Relief Fund	.....	101.88
Education Fund	14.72	.....
Church Building Fund	.....	103.08
To Balance	8,607.80	.....
	8,768.05	8,768.05
	.....	8,607.80

CHAS. E. JOHNSON, *Treasurer.*

LIST OF SECURITIES OF THE DIOCESE OF NORTH CAROLINA IN HANDS OF TREASURER MARCH 31, 1901.

PERMANENT EPISCOPAL FUND.

	Par Value.
North Carolina 4 per cent bonds	$2,500.00
Two North Carolina 6 per cent bonds	2,000.00
Nine shares Missouri Pacific Railroad stock	900.00
University of North Carolina scrip (nominal)	10.00
One Craven County bond	500.00
Bond and mortgage, Chapel Hill Rectory	200.00
Note and mortgage, Conway G. Harris	500.00
Episcopal residence	6,500.00
Total	13,110.00

Dr. *Permanent Episcopal Fund, in Account*

	To balance	$7,570.03
		7,570.03

Dr. *Fund for Relief of Disabled Clergymen and in Account with*

	To balance	$535.87
		535.87

Dr. *Income of Permanent Episcopal Fund,*

	To amount credited Current Episcopal and Contingent Fund	$558.77
		558.77

with Chas. E. Johnson, Treasurer. *Cr.*

1900 April 1	By balance	$5,570.03
	By amount from J. R. Pearce on note	500.00
	By amount from L. A. and V. C. Talton on note	500.00
	By amount from Raleigh Cotton Mill bond	1,000.00
		7,570.03
1901 April 1	By balance	7,570.03

Widows and Orphans of Deceased Clergymen, Chas. E. Johnson, Treasurer. *Cr.*

1900 April 1	By balance	$535.87
		535.87
1901 April 1	By balance	535.87

in Account with Chas. E. Johnson, Treasurer. *Cr.*

	By amount from L. A. and V. C. Talton, interest	$36.22
	By amount from North Carolina 4 per cent bonds, coupons	100.00
	By amount from North Carolina 6 per cent bonds, coupons	120.00
	By amount from Raleigh Cotton Mill bond coupon	30.00
	By amount from Craven County bond, coupon	30.00
	By amount from J. R. Pearce, interest	242.55
		558.77

Dr. *Current Episcopal and Contingent Fund,*

To amount Clergymen's expenses to Convention, as follows:

Rev. E. A. Osborne	$2.05	Rev. F. A. Fetter	$3.00
Rev. M. M. Marshall	5.20	Rev. W. B. Perry	8.90
Rev. J. H. Williams	4.50	Rev. W. H. Sneed	4.20
Rev. J. W. Perry	8.80	Rev. R. B. Owens	5.50
Rev. C. Fetter	11.30	Rev. J. E. Ingle	6.00
Rev. J. H. M. Pollard	5.20	Rev. I. McK. Pittenger	5.20
Rev. W. J. Smith	1.00	Rev. F. W. Hilliard	6.00
Rev. Thos. Bell	7.70	Rev. J. E. King	5.20
Rev. J. D. Miller	2.00	Rev. E. W. Gamble	14.65
Rev. C. T. Bland	8.20	Rev. T. B. Bailey	1.00
Rev. S. P. Walters	4.50	Rev. C. L. Hoffman	1.80
Rev. B. S. Bronson	7.80	Rev. J. T. Chambers	10.50
Rev. P. P. Alston	2.25	Rev. H. C. Parkman	3.95

	$146.40
To amount paid Rt. Rev. J. B. Cheshire, salary and travelling expense	3,000.00
To amount paid printing Journals, etc	232.57
To amount paid Rev. J. E. Ingle, salary	150.00
To amount paid Rev. J. E. Ingle, expense	11.09
To amount paid insurance, Bishop's residence	45.00
To amount paid postage, revenue, stationery, printing, etc	56.95
To amount paid Treasurer's commissions on receipts	204.97
To balance	457.19
	4,304.17

in Account with Chas. E. Johnson, Treasurer. *Cr.*

1900 April 1	By balance	$204.74
	By amount from parishes (see tabular statement)	3,540.66
	By amount from income Permanent Episcopal Fund	558.77
		4,304.17
1901 April 1	By balance	457.19

Dr. *Fund for Diocesan Missions, in Account with*

1980 April 1	To balance		
	To amounts paid on account of "Bishops Specials," as follows:		$444.82
	Rev. E. P. Green	$50.00	
	Rev. J. E. King	50.00	
			100.00
	To amounts paid Missionary stipends, as follows:		
	Rev. B. S. Bronson	$37.50	
	Rev. J. D. Miller	25.00	
	Rev. H. W. Jones	50.00	
	Rev. E. P. Green	200.00	
	Rev. W. H. Mead	250.00	
	Rev. J. H. Williams	100.00	
	Rev. R. G. Shannonhouse	100.00	
	Rev. S. P. Watters	12.50	
	Rev. T. L. Trott	62.50	
	Rev. J. L. Sanders	37.50	
	Rev. J. E. King	100.00	
	Rev. G. W. Phelps	100.00	
	Rev. S. J. M. Brown	100.00	
	Rev. C. T. Bland	100.00	
	Rev. P. P. Alston	50.00	
	Rev. J. H. Gregory	100.00	
	Rev. J. C. Davis	18.75	
	Rev. H. C. Parkman	133.33	
	Rev. F. A. Fetter	100.00	
			1,677.08
	To amount paid Rev. E. A. Osborne, salary		800.00
	To amount paid Rev. E. A. Osborne, expenses		179.95
	To Treasurer's commissions on receipts		160.85
			3,362.70
1901 April 1	To balance		145.53

Chas. E. Johnson, Treasurer. *Cr.*

By amount from collection at Convention, Salisbury	$15.85
By amount from Mrs. Lardner	100.00
By amount from Mr. Frerecks	5.00
By amount from collection at Charlotte by Bishop Cheshire	49.37
By amounts collected by Rev. E. A. Osborne, as follows:	

Mrs. W. J. Smith	$5.00	St. Mark's, Mecklenburg	65.95
Miss J. A. O	1.00	St. Andrew's Chapel, Seversville	$4.00
St. Paul's, Winston	4.12	Mrs. Hargrove and Miss Ashe	3.00
Friends in Huntsville	7.00	St. Mary the Virgin	2.75
Friend in Statesville	5.00	Mrs. Johnston and sister	1.00
Mr. H. C. Severs	7.00	Dr. S. J. Welsh	5.00
Friend in Charlotte	50.00	St. Andrew's, Charlotte	1.00
Woman's Auxiliary	11.00	Trinity, Statesville	2.25
Miss Fannie Moore	2.00	St. Athanasius, Burlington,	6.60
Friend in Monroe	5.00	St. Paul's, Monroe	17.25
Calvary Church, Wadesboro,	4.38	Offerings from Mocksville	1.00
Friends in Wadesboro	10.00	Offerings from Madison	1.20
Trinity Church, Statesville	2.62	Offerings from Mayodan	.65
St. James, Iredell County	2.65	Offerings from Stoneville	3.95
Mrs. Kessler, Mooresville	1.00	Offerings from St. Paul's, Monroe	5.12
Trinity Church, Mt. Airy	14.00	Offerings from Walnut Cove	1.25
Mr. J. Q. Gant	20.00	Offerings from Germanton	1.15
St. Marks', Bristow	19.50	Offerings from Euto	1.00
All Souls', Ansonville	2.76	Offerings from Walnut Cove	1.00
St. Peter's, Charlotte	10.00	Offerings from Calvary Church, Wadesboro	6.45
St. Mary the Virgin	5.35	Mr. Lawrence S. Holt	50.00
St. Augustine's, Raleigh	100.00	Mrs. Vinton Liddell	25.00
St. Mark's, Bristow	.75	Mrs. Vann Monroe	5.00
Galloway Memorial Church, Elkin	2.16	Mr. C. Sikes	10.00
Church people, Huntsville	12.75	Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Smith	10.00
Memorial Chapel St. Mary the Virgin	4.98	Mr. L. L. Little	10.00
St. Augustine's School	50.00	W. W. McKenzie	12.00
Thompson Orphanage	2.38	St. Mark's, Monroe	22.30
Mr. Lawrence S. Holt	25.00	Laurel Hill	15.40
A Friend	2.00	Calvary, Wadesboro	12.80
A Friend at Goshen	5.00	Euto	.46
Mr. E. A. Smith	40.00	Cooleemee Church	1.55
Mr. W. E. Holt	25.00		
Different places for services	55.00		
			820.48

By amount from Rev. J. W. Murphey	2.00
By amount from Mr. W. A. Smith	20.00
By amount from Mr. Jno. Wilkes	25.00
By amount from Mrs. Frerecks	5.00
By amount from St. Albion Parish Society	8.29
By amount from Chas. E. Johnson	100.00
By amount from Parishes (see tabular statement)	1,554.06
By amount from Bishop's collections (see tabular statement)	512.12
By balance	145.53
	3,362.70

Dr. *Relief Fund, in Account with*

	To Treasurer's commissions on receipts	$1.97
	To balance	101.88
		103.85

Dr. *Education Fund, in Account with*

	To amount paid Mr. Sanders, order of Bishop	$25.00
	To amount paid Mr. Cheatham, order of Bishop	80.00
	To Treasurer's commissions on receipts	3.06
		108.06
1901 April 1	To balance	14.72

Dr. *Church Building Fund in Account with*

	To balance	$103.08
		103.08

Chas. E. Johnson, Treasurer. *Cr.*

1900 April 1	By balance	$64.44
	By amount from parishes (see tabular statement	39.41
		103.85
1901 April 1	By balance	101.88

Chas. E. Johnson, Treasurer. *Cr.*

1900 April 1	By balance	$32.01
	By amount from Bishop Cheshire	10.00
	By amount from Parishes (see tabular statement)	51.33
	By balance	14.72
		108.06

Chas. E. Johnson, Treasurer. *Cr.*

1900 April 1	By balance	$97.78
	By amount from Parishes (see tabular statement)	5.30
		103.08
1901 April 1	By balance	103.08

TABULAR STATEMENT.

SHOWING AMOUNTS RECEIVED FROM PARISHES AND CONGREGATIONS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING MARCH 31, 1901.

From Whom Received.		Assessment for Episcopal and Contingent Fund.	Amount Paid on Episcopal and Contingent Fund.	Diocesan Missions.	Relief Fund.	Education Fund.	Church Building Fund.	Bishop's Collection for Diocesan Missions.	Amount Paid on Arrears.	Amount in Arrears 1899-1900.
Ansonville	All Souls'	$12.15		$31.50				$5.84		
Albemarle	Mission							2.05		
Battleboro	St. John's	4.72						4.35		$33.44
Burlington	St. Athanasius	134.27	$67.13	31.60				5.66		
Bristow	St. Mark's	10.10	5.58						$11.12	11.12
Chapel Hill	Chapel of the Cross	52.75	52.75	41.86						
Charlotte	St. Andrew's	2.50	2.50					1.70	5.00	5.00
Charlotte	St. Mary's	5.00	5.00	2.29	$0.94	$2.46				
Charlotte	St. Micheal's	11.12	11.00					4.37	17.74	17.74
Charlotte	St. Peter's	254.00	254.00	170.00	18.73	.51		27.03	350.00	350.00
Chestnut Hill	St. Paul's	7.31		3.91	1.03			.88	2.34	14.62
Cleveland	Christ Church	8.03		5.09						16.06
Concord	All Saints'	83.03	24.50	21.03				2.64		
Concord	Holy Comforter	2.50								2.50
Cunningham	Chapel	20.25		2.00				1.36	30.50	30.50
Durham	St. Philip's	159.19	159.19	113.82	3.65	5.70		8.19		
Edgecombe County	St. Mary's	5.46						1.28		37.65
Elkin	Mission	6.75		7.15				2.56	2.50	4.26
Enfield	Advent	52.48	18.39	2.00				3.38		13.12
Euto	Mission	2.50	2.50					1.58		
Fairntosh	Salem Chapel	2.50								5.00

Germanton	St. Philip's	7.15		1 40				.57	5.50	7.58
Gaston	St. Luke's	2.50	3.60					1.53	9.27	9.27
Goshen	St. Paul's	4.51	7.01	3.52				.55		
Greensboro	St. Andrew's	72.71	72.71	9.04				20.75	81.24	81.24
Greensboro	St. Barnabas	86.57						4.44	15.00	11.57
Greensboro	St. Cuthbert's	6.75						1.06	6.75	6.75
Halifax	St. Mark's	8.28	8.28	2.00				1.75		
Henderson	Holy Innocents	131.17	31.71	63.24	2.32	2.04		6.64	80.13	80.13
Huntsville	Mission			2.35				2.45		
High Point	St. Mary's	2.50						3.44		36.96
Hillsboro	St. Matthew's	110.87	105.88	116.63		5.54		10.61		
Iredell County	St. James'	5.73		2.03				1.26	6.73	41.11
Jackson	Church of the Savior	57.78	57.78	20.25	2.00	2.00	$2.00	1.85		
Kittrell	St. James'	27.88	27.88					3.51	27.88	27.88
Laurel Hill, Richmond County	Mission	21.06						5.80		33.91
Lawrence	Grace	6.75						3.13		12.15
Leaksville	Epiphany	21.48	21.48	15.80		4.70	3.30		10.34	10.34
Lexington	Redemption	24.44	12.00					4.89		
Littleton	Chapel of the Cross	8.50		8.78				2.07	8.00	10.62
Littleton	St. Alban's Mission	2.50	2.50					.92	4.50	4.50
Louisburg	St. Paul's	57.07	.50		6.42	3.11		5.13	87.02	87.02
Louisburg	St. Matthias	3.13	3.13					.75	6.13	6.13
Madison	St. John's	23.52		1.90		2.30		1.63	47.24	47.24
Mayodan	Messiah	6.85						3.01		6.85
Mecklenburg	St. Mark's		.53					4.01		
Middleburg	Heavenly Rest	8.50	2.83	7.15				3.86	3.20	3.20
Milton	Christ Church	8.91						1.69		37.97
Mocksville	St. Philip's	3 15		.63						
Mt. Morven	Mission		1.80					1.50		
Moncure	Grace	2.50								2.50
Monroe	St. Paul's	12.20	12.20	8.75				4.16	12.30	12.30
Mt. Airy	Trinity	21.00						9.24		23.06
Noise	St. Philip's	2.50								2.50
Orange County	St. Mary's	2.50						1.36		

TABULAR STATEMENT.

SHOWING AMOUNTS RECEIVED FROM PARISHES AND CONGREGATIONS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING MARCH 31, 1901.

From Whom Received.		Assessment for Episcopal and Contingent Fund.	Amount Paid on Episcopal and Contingent Fund.	Diocesan Missions.	Relief Fund.	Education Fund.	Church Building Fund.	Bishop's Collection for Diocesan Missions.	Amount Paid on Arrears.	Amount in Arrears, 1899-1900.
Oxford	St. Stephen's	$104.09	$104.12	$58.89				$5.75		
Pittsboro	St. Bartholomew's	52.33		58.23		$4.35			$24.50	$36.62
Pittsboro	St. James'	5.11	5.11							
Raleigh	Christ Church	277.38	277.38	304.62		10.36		61.54		
Raleigh	Good Shepherd	207.83	207.83	129.07				28.77		
Raleigh	St. Ambrose	13.50		2.41				9.22	9.71	13.50
Raleigh	St. Augustine's	20.00	20.00	45.00				17.30		
Raleigh	St. Mary's	20.00	20.00	24.72				6 08		
Raleigh	St. Saviour's	2.50	2.50					1.30		
Reidsville	St. Thomas	24.42		1.80				1.59		29.40
Rockingham	Mission	20.25						19.71		20.25
Ridgeway	Good Shepherd	16.78		6.66				1.38	25.00	32.92
Ringwood	St. Clements	17.55						2.55		103.96
Rocky Mount	Good Shepherd	65.24	65.24	51.28				9.00		
Rowan County	St. Jude's	2.50		.91	$0.21			1.90	1.37	3.39
Rowan County	St. George's							.57		
Rowan County	St. Mary's	2.50	6.41	6.51		$1.00		10.50		
Rowan County	Christ Church		10.28	2.45	1.53	1.76		1.53		
Rowan County	St. Matthew's	2.50		.89	.20			.63	1.24	3.77
Salisbury	St. Luke's	58.62		22.03	1.50	4.50		24.08	87.76	269.69
Salisbury	St. John's	2.50								7.50

Salisbury	St Peter's	2.50			3.36	.88			1.33	3.39	6.96
Sanford	St. Thomas	2.70	2.70		.50						
Satterwhite	Mission	2.50	2.50						.63	2.50	2.50
Scotland Neck	Trinity and Chapel	45.59	45.50		14.74				10.47	30.25	30.24
Southern Pines	Emmanuel	53.68			30.95		1.00			30.00	45.35
Statesville	Trinity	16 20			12.69				3.00	21.49	25.44
Statesville	Mission	3.10	1.00							3.13	3.13
Stoneville	Emmanuel	2.50	1.75							2.50	2.50
Stovall	St. Peter's	3.20	3.20		4.27				6.20		
Tillery	Mission								1.52		
Tarboro	Calvary	171.18	171.18		29.7				15.81	139.27	139.27
Tarboro	St. Luke's	16.26	16.26						4.00		
Wadesboro	Calvary	60.23			19.75				32.28	49.00	50.40
Walnut Cove	Christ Church	14.51			1.20				.79	.75	16.42
Warren County	St. Luke's	2.50	5.00						.38	2.50	2.50
Warrenton	All Saints'	7.31	7.31						2.63		
Warrenton	Emmanuel	42.79							5.05	90.00	91.43
Weldon	Grace	51.87	51.87		1.25				4.37	51.92	51.92
Williamsboro	St. John's	13.66			5.00				7.44	8.00	47.75
Wilson	St. Mark's	3.20							1.02	8.20	10.97
Wilson	St. Timothy's	93.82	11.73		7.20				4.37	56.52	56.52
Winston	St. Paul's	118.48			11.25				21.00	42.00	257.70
Woodleaf	St Andrew's & Chapel	6.75			1.00					6.00	11.00
Totals		3,248.24	2,013.23		1,554.06	39.41	51.33	5.30	512.12	1,527.43	2,516.79

NOTE.—To find the amount in arrears on April 1, 1901, add to the amount assessed the amount in arrears for the years 1899–1900, and deduct therefrom the amount paid on Episcopal Contingent Fund and amount paid on arrears.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF FUNDS IN HANDS OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE DIOCESE OF NORTH CAROLINA, APRIL 1, 1901.

MISS MARY RUFFIN SMITH FUND.

Bond and mortgage W. C. Johnson and wife $200.00

Dr. *Mary Ruffin Smith Fund, in Account*

	To Treasurer's commissions on receipts	$33.15
	To balance	629.93
		663.08

Dr. *Mrs. Martha Clark Legacy, in Account*

with Chas. E. Johnson, Trustee. *Cr.*

	By amount from K. P. Battle, executor	$130.83
	do	5.00
	do	130.00
	do	66.00
	do	50.25
	do	265.00
	By amount from W. C. Johnson, interest on note	16.00
		663.08
1901. April 1	By balance	629.93

with Chas. E. Johnson, Trustee. *Cr.*

1901. April 1	By balance	$100.00

SCHEDULE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR 1901-1902.

Ansonville, All Souls	$20.33
Albemarle, Mission	2.50
Battleboro, St. John's	4.72
Burlington, St. Athanasius	124.10
Bristow, St. Mark's	8.83
Chapel Hill, Chapel of the Cross	69.20
Charlotte, St. Andrew's	2.50
Charlotte, St. Mary's	5.00
Charlotte, St. Michael's	24.01
Charlotte, St. Peter's	293.50
Chestnut Hill, St Paul's	2.50
Concord, All Saints	72.17
Concord, Holy Comforter	2.50
Cuningham, Chapel	20.25
Durham, St Philip's	161.90
Edgecombe Co., St. Mary's	4.53
Elkin, Mission	12.15
Enfield, Advent	53.34
Euto, Mission	2.71
Fairntosh, Salem Chapel	2.50
Germanton, St. Philip's	6.72
Gaston, St. Luke's	2.50
Goshen, St. Paul's	2.50
Greensboro, St. Andrew's	67.72
Greensboro, St. Barnabas	82.61
Greensboro, St. Cuthbert's	7.43
Halifax, St. Mark's	11.68
Henderson, Holy Innocents	130.40
High Point, St. Mary's	2.50
Hillsboro, St. Matthews	78.89
Huntsville, Mission	2.50
Iredell County, St. James	8.64
Jackson, Church of the Saviour	47.71
Kittrell, St. James	27.00
Laurel Hill, Mission	25.46
Lawrence, Grace	8.17
Leaksville, Epiphany	23.86
Lexington, Redemption	24.23
Littleton, Mission	2.50
Littleton, St. Alban's	37.12
Louisburg, St. Paul's	55.08
Louisburg, St. Matthias	2.75
Madison, St. John's	20.25
Mayodan, Messiah	4.41
Middleburg, Heavenly Rest	13.21
Milton, Christ Church	9.51
Mocksville, St. Philip's	4.80
Moncure, Grace Chapel	2.50
Monroe, St. Paul's	$35.07
Mt. Airy, Trinity	26.66
Noise, St Philip's	2.50
Orange County, St. Mary's	2.50
Oxford, St. Stephen's	111.57
Pittsboro, St. Bartholomew's	43.70
Pittsboro, St. James	3.29
Raleigh, Christ Church	270.26
Raleigh, Good Shepherd	252.75
Raleigh, St. Ambrose	17.80
Raleigh, St. Augustine's	20.00
Raleigh, St. Mary's	20.00
Raleigh, St. Saviour's	2.50
Reidsville, St. Thomas	20.25
Ridgeway, Good Shepherd	16.80
Ringwood, St. Clement's	21.00
Rockingham, Mission	18.06
Rocky Mount, Good Shepherd	124.35
Rowan Co., Christ Church	9.52
Rowan Co., St. Jude's	2.50
Rowan Co., St. Andrew's	2.50
Rowan Co., St. Mary's	8.10
Rowan Co., St. Matthew's	2.50
Salisbury, St. Luke's	77.53
Salisbury, St. John's	2.50
Salisbury, St. Peter's	2.50
Sanford, St. Thomas	3.69
Satterwhite, Mission	2.50
Scotland Neck, Trinity	48.15
Southern Pines, Emmanuel	34.93
Statesville, Trinity	29.03
Statesville, Mission	2.50
Stoneville, Emmanuel	2.50
Stovall, St. Peter's	4.89
Tillery, Mission	2.50
Tarboro, Calvary	164.40
Turboro, St. Luke's	17.63
Wadesboro, Calvary	56.72
Walnut Cove, Christ Ch	12.23
Warren Co., St. Luke's	2.50
Warrenton, All Saints	8.60
Warrenton, Emmanuel	43.88
Weldon, Grace	55.36
Williamsboro, St. John's	6.30
Wilson, St. Mark's	8.74
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Winston, St. Paul's	70.15

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